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BLACKHAWK

GENERAL X!

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TO LEARN HIS IDENTITY?



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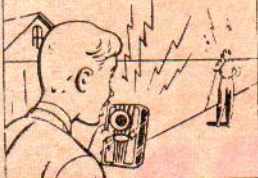


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BLACKHAWK

RED SOLDIERS!
DEFEND YOUR GENERAL
FROM THE BLACKHAWKS!

COME ON, BLACK-
HAWKS...LET'S GO
IN AND DRAG OUT THE
MYSTERYMAN WHO
CALLS HIMSELF
GENERAL X!

WHO IS GENERAL X?
HE IS A MASTER OF MILITARY
TACTICS! HE CAN TURN DEFEAT
INTO VICTORY! HE INVENTS
INGENIOUS WEAPONS OF WAR!
BUT NO ONE EVER SEES GENERAL
X! NO ONE KNOWS WHAT HE
LOOKS LIKE! SOME SAY
GENERAL X MIGHT EVEN BE A
WOMAN! BUT WHATEVER HIS
IDENTITY, HE IS AN ENEMY OF
DEMOCRACY, SO THE BLACK-
HAWKS DECIDE TO PIERCE
GENERAL X'S IMPREGNABLE
ARMOR! AND AS THE PEOPLE
WATCH IN STUNNED-SILENCE,
THE BLACKHAWKS FINALLY
REVEAL THE ASTONISH-
ING TRUTH ABOUT...

GENERAL X!

RAT TAT TAT



BLACKHAWK

IN THE PRESIDENTIAL MANSION OF DEMOCRATIC BULVANIA, THE WORLD-RENOWNED BLACK-HAWKS ARE SUMMONED TO AN EMERGENCY CABINET SESSION...



BLACKHAWKS, I'VE ASKED YOU TO BE HERE BECAUSE WE'VE JUST LEARNED OUR COUNTRY IS ABOUT TO BE INVADIED BY THE RED COMMANDER... GENERAL X!

GENERAL X? MON DIEU!

NATURALLY, HIS NAME DOES NOT SURPRISE YOU! GENERAL X'S ARMY HAS ALREADY OVERRUN THREE DEMOCRACIES! HE IS A MASTER OF BATTLE STRATEGY, AND A GENIUS AT TACTICAL MANEUVERS!



BLACKHAWKS, GENERAL X WISHES TO HAVE A TRUCE TALK AT SOME DESIGNATED NEUTRAL POINT! I WOULD LIKE YOU TO BE PRESENT AT THAT MEETING!

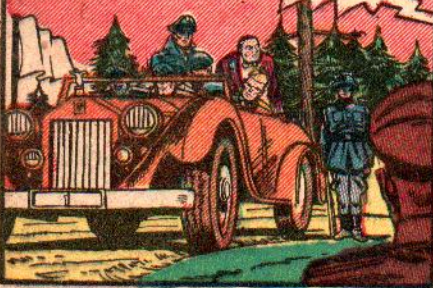
FINE! WE WANT A LOOK AT THIS MILITARY MASTERMIND WHO CALLS HIMSELF GENERAL X!



LATER, AT THE APPOINTED TRUCE TALK CENTER...

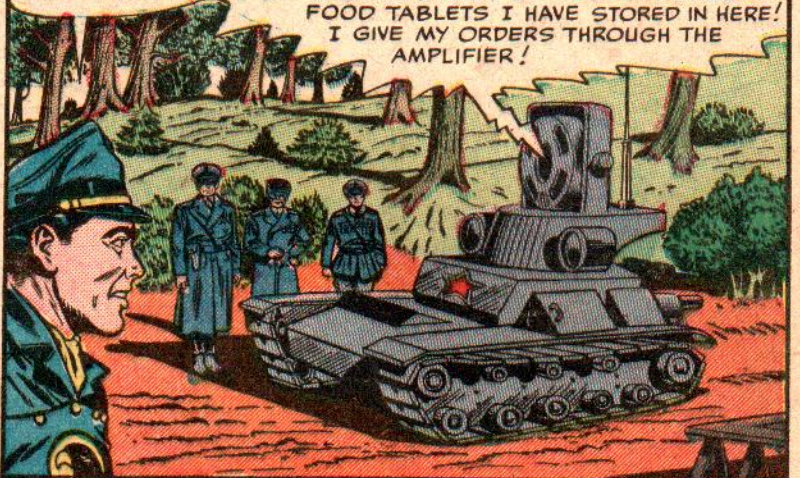
WE ARE READY FOR THE CONFERENCE! BUT I DO NOT SEE YOUR GENERAL X!

I AM HERE... BUT NO ONE SEES MY FACE! MY IDENTITY IS KEPT SECRET, NOT ONLY FROM MY ENEMY, BUT FROM MY OFFICERS!



THE VOICE IS COMING FROM THAT TANK!

NOBODY EVER SEES ME, BECAUSE I NEVER LEAVE MY TANK-MOBILE! I SLEEP IN HERE! I EAT FROM A STOCK OF CONCENTRATED FOOD TABLETS I HAVE STORED IN HERE! I GIVE MY ORDERS THROUGH THE AMPLIFIER!



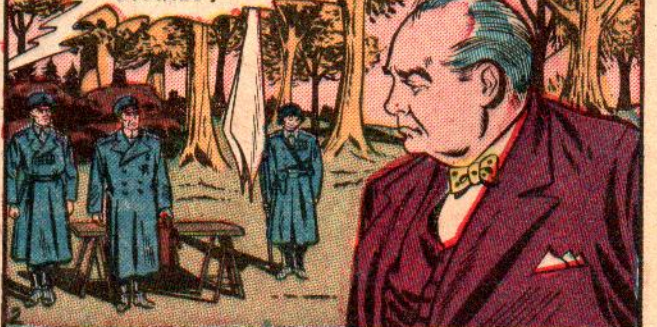
MY TANK'S EYES ARE ONE-WAY LENSES! I CAN SEE OUT THROUGH THEM, BUT YOU CANNOT SEE IN!

NOTICE, CHUCK...THE AMPLIFIER DISTORTS THE VOICE SO THAT WE CAN'T TELL WHETHER IT'S A MAN OR WOMAN SPEAKING!



PRESIDENT TADKA, I OFFER YOU A CHANCE TO SURRENDER YOUR COUNTRY WITHOUT BLOODSHED! YOU KNOW I'M UNBEATABLE, THE MOST BRILLIANT OF ALL GENERALS! SIGN THE SURRENDER PAPERS AND INNOCENT LIVES WILL BE SPARED!

NEVER!

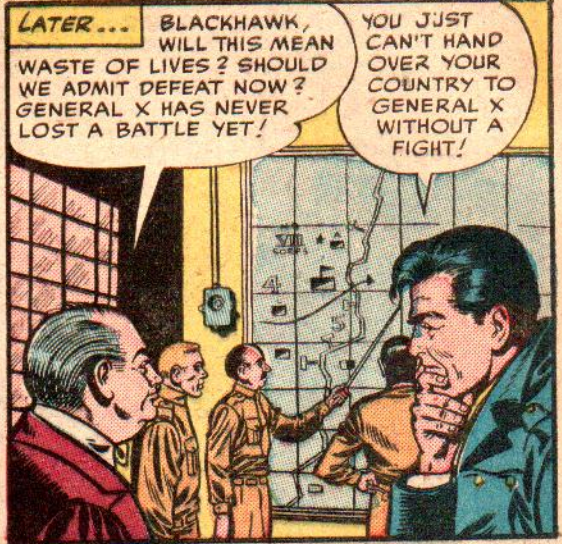




IF YOU WISH TO MAKE MY COUNTRY ANOTHER SATELLITE YOU'LL HAVE TO TAKE IT BY FORCE!

ATTABOY, PAL!

VERY WELL! GO BACK TO YOUR PEOPLE! BUT REMEMBER, THE DEATHS OF YOUR SOLDIERS WILL BE ON YOUR HEAD!



LATER...

BLACKHAWK, WILL THIS MEAN WASTE OF LIVES? SHOULD WE ADMIT DEFEAT NOW? GENERAL X HAS NEVER LOST A BATTLE YET!

YOU JUST CAN'T HAND OVER YOUR COUNTRY TO GENERAL X WITHOUT A FIGHT!

MORNING! AS THE DEMOCRATIC ARMY WAITS FOR THE FIRST ATTACK OF GENERAL X'S ARMY!

I CAN'T FIGURE IT! WHY SHOULD GENERAL X BE SO SECRETEIVE ABOUT HIS APPEARANCE?

PERHAPS IT IS BECAUSE HIS FACE IS UGLY, YAH?



COULD BE OLAF! REMEMBER THE RED GENERAL, BRAZOFF, WHO HAD HIS FACE SEARED BY A FLAME-THROWER? X COULD BE BRAZOFF SINCE HE'S SENSITIVE ABOUT HIS SCARRED FACE!

OR PERHAPS GENERAL X IS ONE OF OUR OLD ENEMIES WHO DOES NOT WANT US TO KNOW HE'S STILL ALIVE! TIGER SHARK, OR BARON BLOOD, THE MAD SCIENTIST!



PERHAPS ZE GENERAL X IS A WOMAN! YOU RECALL ZAT BECAUSE OF ZE AMPLIFIER ZE VOICE WAS DIFFICULT TO IDENTIFY!

GOLLIES! IS VELLY POSSIBLE REASON X HIDES IDENTITY! MAN-SOLDIERS NOT LIKE TO TAKE ORDERS FROM WOMAN!

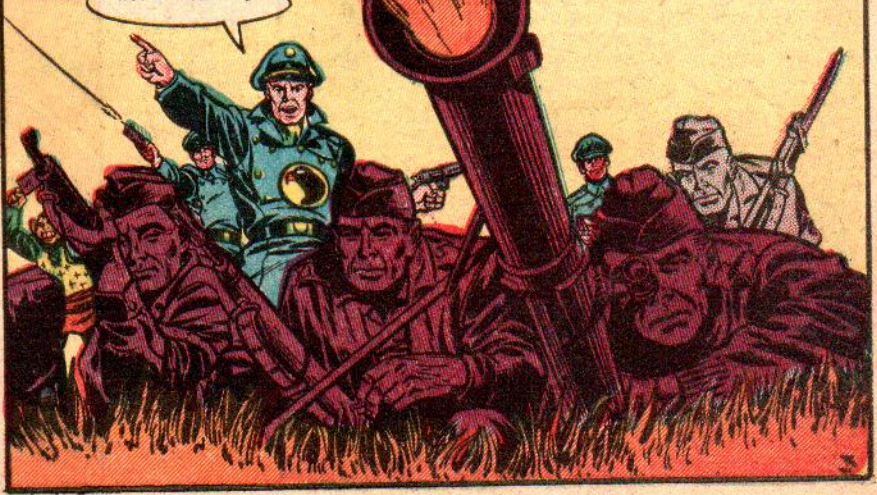


NO TIME FOR GAB-BING NOW, MEN! HERE COMES GENERAL X'S ARMY! GET SET, GANG!

ONE THING WE DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT IS AN ATTACK BY PLANES! THE COUNTRY BACK THERE IS TOO ROCKY AND TOO THICKLY WOODED FOR AN AIR-STRIP!



GET THOSE BAZOOKAS WORKING! BLAST THOSE TANKS APART! POUR IT INTO THEM!



BLACKHAWK

AS PLANNED BY BLACKHAWK, THE INVADERS ARE CAUGHT BETWEEN A WITHERING CROSS-FIRE THAT RAKES THEIR LINES...

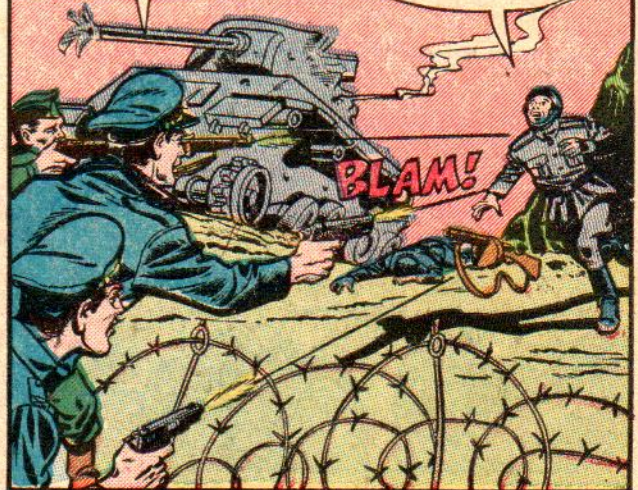
WE'VE GOT THEM AMBUSHED!

COME ON! LET'S SHOW THEM WHAT FIGHTING MEN CAN DO!



HAWKAAA-AA!

THE BLACKHAWKS!

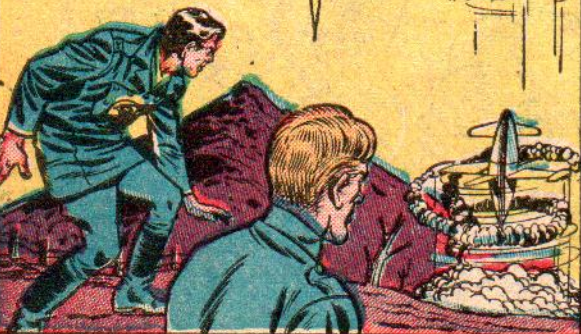


ACH, I DO NOT NEED A GUN...CHUST A BASEBALL BAT!

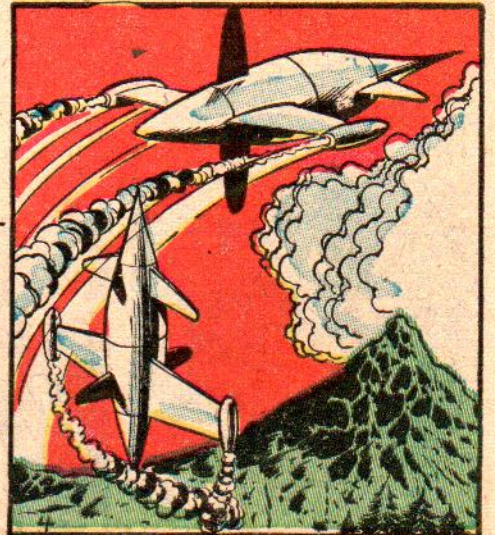
ARRGH!

GREAT SCOTT! LOOK OVER THERE, MEN, AND TELL ME IF I'M SEEING THINGS!

JET PLANES... RISING STRAIGHT UP OUT OF THE WOODS! IT'S JUST NOT POSSIBLE!



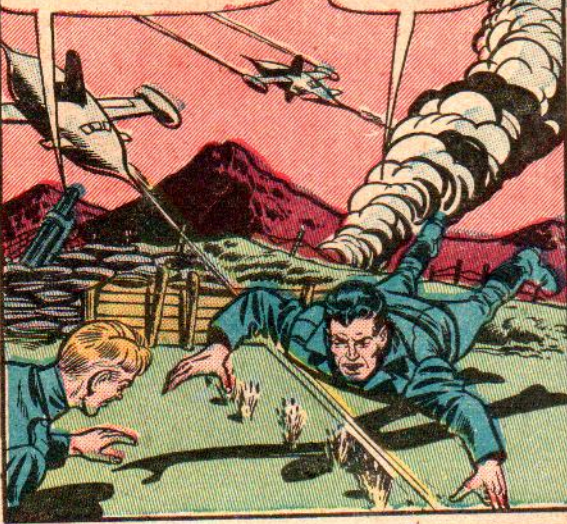
But it is possible, for these are general X's invention... CONVERTI-PLANES FITTED WITH JET ROTORS AND SWIVEL WINGS THAT ACT AS HELI-COPTERS!



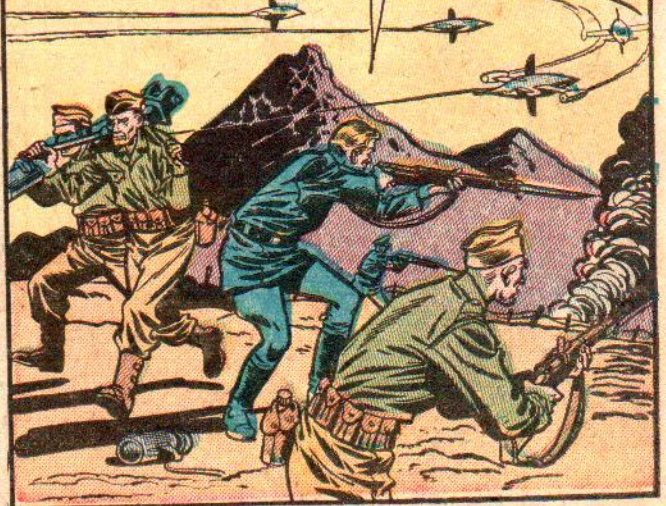
BLACKHAWK

GENERAL X PULLED A FAST ONE! HE CAUGHT US OFF GUARD WITH HIS CONVERTIPLANES!

WE CAN'T HOLD OUT LONG AGAINST THEM! WE'VE GOT TO RETREAT!



KEEP POURING IT INTO THEM! ONCE WE REACH OUR LINES WE CAN DIG IN!



LATER THAT NIGHT, THE DEPRESSED DEFENDERS REST AND DISCUSS GENERAL X'S CUNNING MANEUVER!

WE LOST A LOT OF GOOD MEN TODAY! ONE MORE DEFEAT LIKE THIS COULD SMASH US!

LET US HOPE ZAT ZE JET-HELICOPTERS WAS ZE LAST TRICK UP GENERAL X'S SLEEVE!



WHAT'S OUR NEXT MOVE, BLACKHAWK? WE KNOW GENERAL X IS PREPARING FOR A NEW ATTACK!

LISTEN! WHAT IF WE TRICK GENERAL X INTO THINKING WE ARE GOING TO ATTACK FIRST? I HAVE A PLAN...



THAT NIGHT, A BULVANIAN GUARD FURTIVELY OPENS A PRISONER-OF-WAR CAMP GATE!

THANK YOU, COMRADE! WE KNEW WE COULD FIND A PARTY SYMPATHIZER AMONG THE BULVANIAN ARMY!

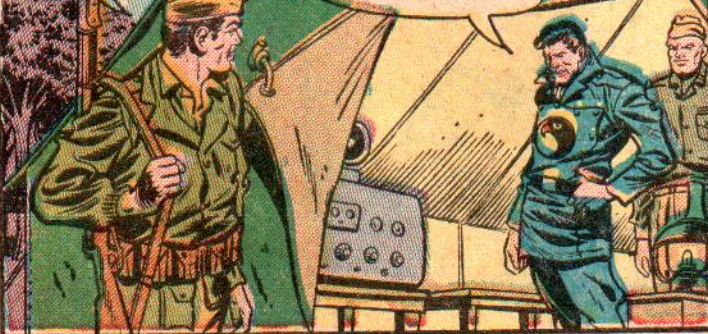
HURRY! AND WARN GENERAL X THE BULVANIAN ARMY IS PLANNING A SURPRISE MANEUVER TO DEFEAT HIM! WHAT THAT MANEUVER IS, I DO NOT KNOW!



LATER, THE SAME GUARD REPORTS TO BLACKHAWK...

IT IS DONE! THE PRISONERS HAVE "ESCAPED" BACK TO GENERAL X AS YOU PLANNED!

GREAT! NOW I'LL GO SCOUTING NEAR THE RED LINES AND LET MYSELF BE "CAPTURED"! GENERAL X WILL BE SURE TO TORTURE ME TO GET INFORMATION ABOUT THE SURPRISE MANEUVER OUT OF ME!

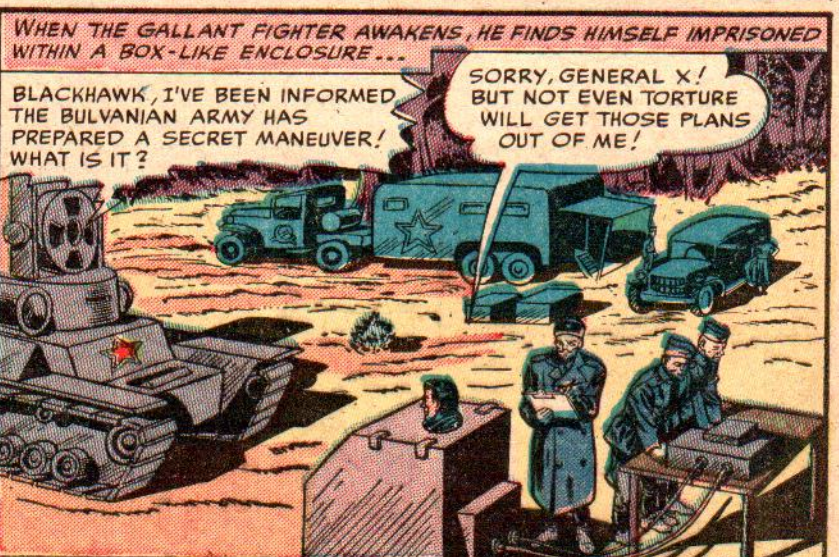


YOU TAKE A BIG CHANCE, MON AMI!

RELAX, ANDRE! I'LL PRETEND I CAN'T TAKE MUCH TORTURE, SO I'LL "TALK"! I GIVE GENERAL X FALSE INFORMATION THAT WILL LEAD HIS ARMY RIGHT INTO OUR TRAP!



BLACKHAWK



BUT TO BLACKHAWK'S ASTONISHMENT, GENERAL X ORDERS NO TORTURE BUT INSTEAD QUESTIONS HIM CALMLY, IMPASSIVELY...



BLACKHAWK

FOR FULLY AN HOUR, RANDOM QUESTIONS ARE ASKED OF WONDERING BLACKHAWK, AND THEN...

THANK YOU, BLACKHAWK! YOU'VE TOLD ME WHAT I WANT TO KNOW!

YOU'RE WRONG! I HAVEN'T TOLD YOU A THING!

THE LIE DETECTOR IS NEVER WRONG!



YOU THINK I'D RISK GETTING FALSE INFORMATION? WHILE YOU WERE UNCONSCIOUS YOU WERE BOUND WITH ROPE, AND TUBING ATTACHED WHICH REGISTERED YOUR BLOOD PRESSURE, PERSPIRATION, AND TENSION REACTIONS ON THE LIE DETECTOR GRAPH!

AND I COULDN'T SEE THEM BECAUSE OF THE ENCLOSURE! YOU CUNNING DEVIL!



THOUGH YOUR ANSWERS WERE EVASIVE, THE PULSOGRAPH REGISTERED YOUR TRUE REACTIONS TO CERTAIN QUESTIONS! SO, YOU UNWITTINGLY TOLD US THE TRUTH!

GENERAL X, YOU RAT! YOU'VE MADE ME BETRAY MY FRIENDS!



RED OFFICERS, THE BULVANIANS PLAN TO SPLIT OUR FORCES BY THE USE OF A FLAME THROWER ASSAULT! THEY'LL ATTACK TO DRIVE A WEDGE BETWEEN OUR TROOPS!

WE'LL LET THEM DO IT, GENTLEMEN, BUT AT THE PROPER MOMENT WE'LL TRAP THEM IN A PINCERS MOVEMENT BY THE USE OF GLIDERS!



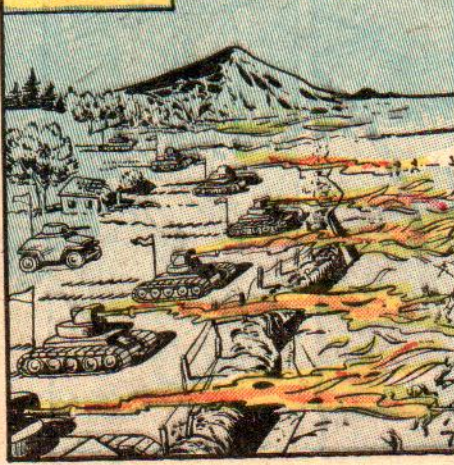
LATER, AS THE RED ARMY OBEYS GENERAL X'S CLEVER RUSE!

BEHOLD! ZEY ATTACK IN ZE FORMATION WE HOPED FOR!

THAT MEANS BLACKHAWK DID TRICK GENERAL X WITH FALSE INFORMATION!

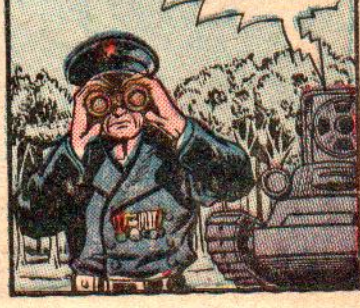


UNAWARE THEY ARE WALKING INTO A DEATH-TRAP, THE BULVANIANS ATTACK BEHIND A WEDGE OF FLAME-THROWERS!



GENERAL X, THE BULVANIANS ARE NOW AT THE AMBUSH SECTOR!

EXCELLENT! NOW LET THE REINFORCEMENTS BOARD THE GLIDERS! HA! HA! WE SHALL WIPE OUT THE BULVANIANS AND THE BLACKHAWKS WITH ONE FELL SWOOP!



BLACKHAWK

CAMOUFLAGE IS TAKEN AWAY TO REVEAL ANOTHER OF GENERAL X'S INGENUOUS WAR WEAPONS!

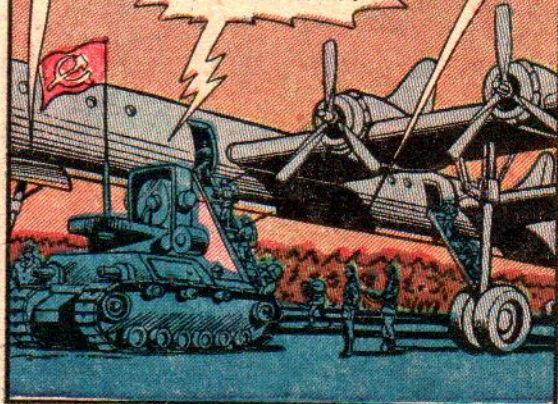


GREAT SCOTT! IT'S A FLYING TRAILER OF GLIDER TRAINS HITCHED TO A TOW BOMBER! GENERAL X HAS MORE TRICKS THAN A CIRCUS ACROBAT!

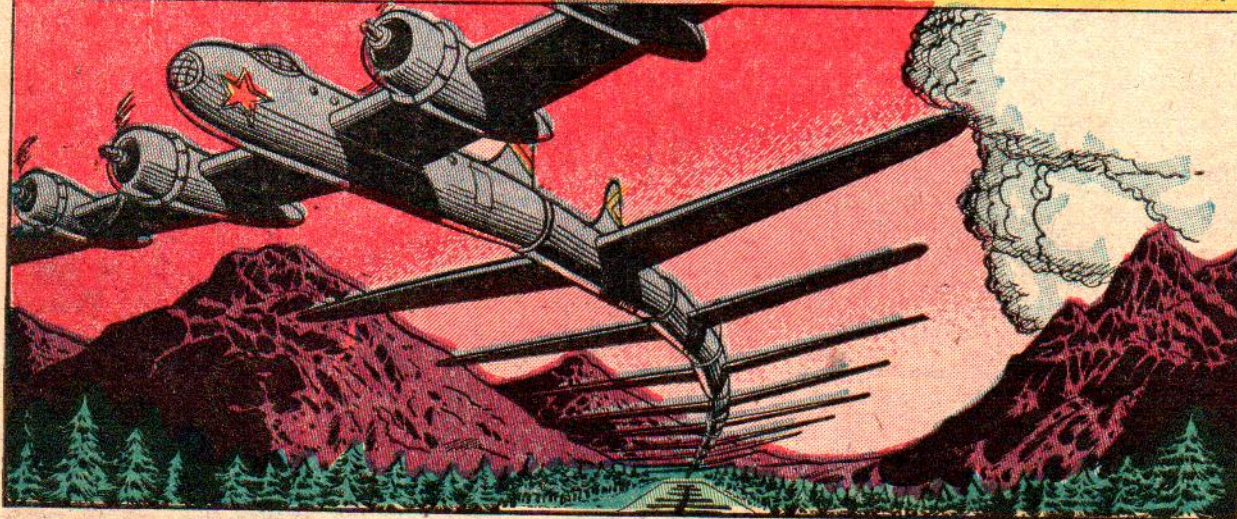
WHAT OF BLACK-HAWK, GENERAL X?

TAKE HIM ALONG SO HE MAY SEE HOW I'VE TRICKED HIM INTO BETRAYING HIS FRIENDS INTO MY TRAP!

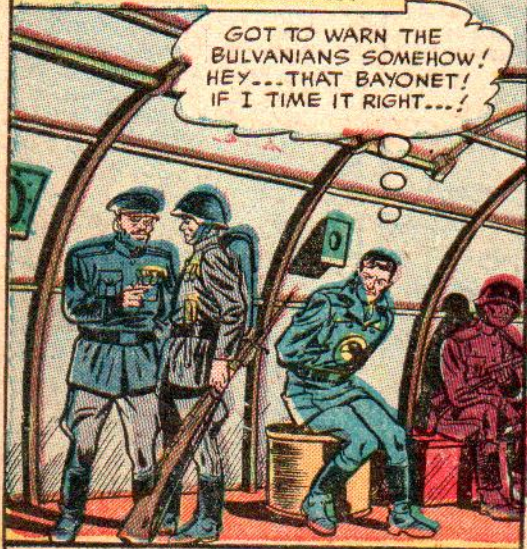
SADISTIC RAT, AREN'T YOU?



MOMENTS LATER, THE GARGANTUAN GLIDER TRAIN RISES SKYWARD LIKE SOME BIZARRE BIRD OF PREY!

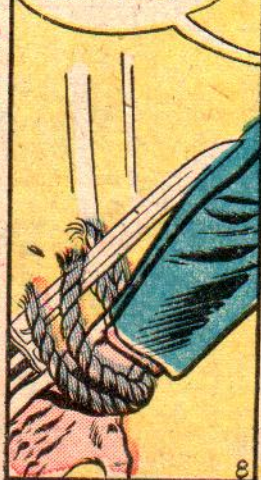


AND IN THE TOW BOMBER...



GOT TO WARN THE BULVANIANS SOMEHOW! HEY...THAT BAYONET! IF I TIME IT RIGHT...!

THANKS FOR KEEPING YOUR BAYONET SHARP, COMRADE!



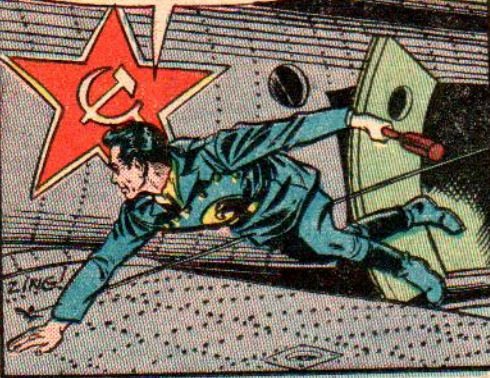
I COULD USE ONE OF YOUR HAND GRENADES, TOO!



BLACKHAWK

BEFORE THE SOLDIERS CAN RECOVER FROM HIS SURPRISE MOVE, BLACKHAWK YANKS OPEN THE BOMBER DOOR AND STARTS CLIMBING TOWARD THE BIG WING!

YOU'LL NEVER GET A MARKSMAN MEDAL FOR THAT KIND OF SHOOTING, COMRADE!



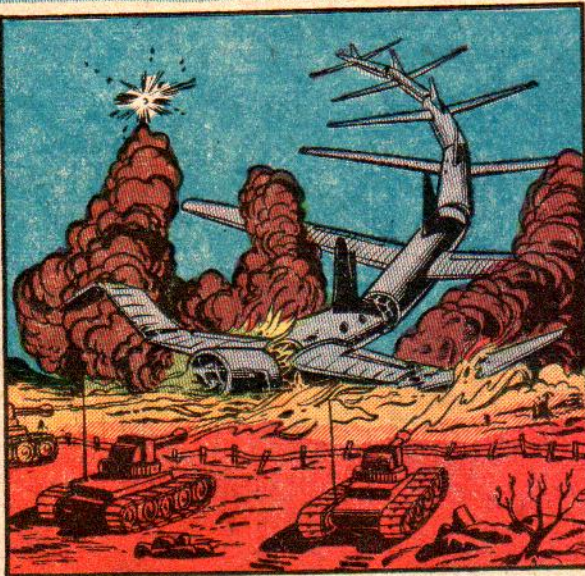
I THINK I CAN DO BETTER WITH THIS HAND GRENADE! HERE'S HOPING!



BULL'S-EYE! I BLASTED THE TOW-HITCH APART!



CUT LOOSE FROM THE TOW BOMBER, THE GLIDERS CANNOT GO BEHIND THE BULVIANIAN LINES AS GENERAL X PLANNED, BUT ARE FORCED IN FRONT OF THE FLAME THROWING TANKS!



MEANWHILE, THE CRIPPLED BOMBER IS ALSO FORCED DOWN ---

A SMALL LAKE BELOW! I WON'T NEED A PARACHUTE AFTER ALL!



AND SHORTLY AFTER ---

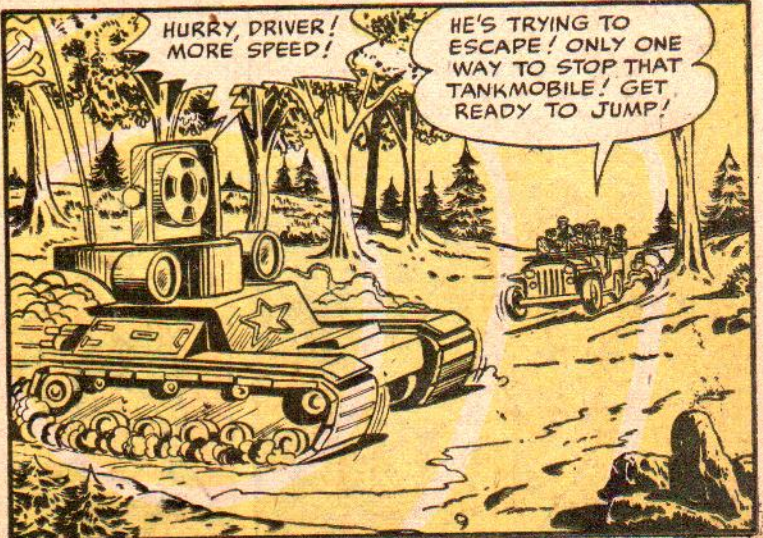
THE BULVIANIANS CAN HANDLE THAT! WE'VE GOT TO GET GENERAL X!

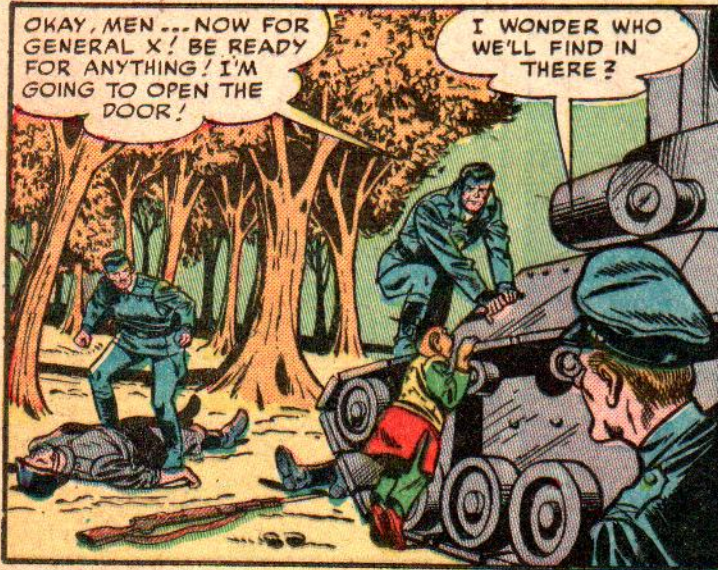
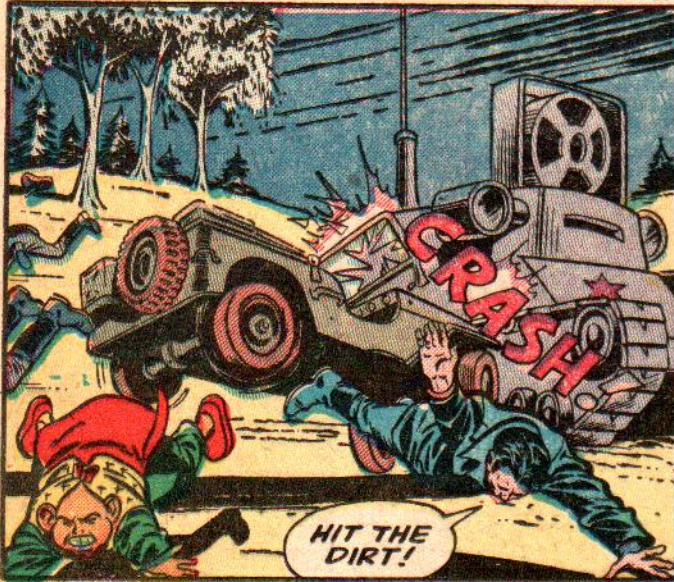
YAHOO! HERE'S BLACKHAWK! NOW LET'S HELP MOP UP THE RED ARMY!



HURRY, DRIVER! MORE SPEED!

HE'S TRYING TO ESCAPE! ONLY ONE WAY TO STOP THAT TANKMOBILE! GET READY TO JUMP!





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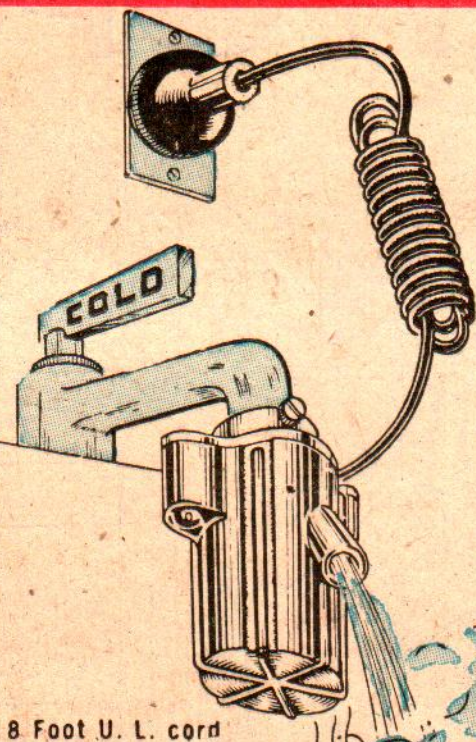
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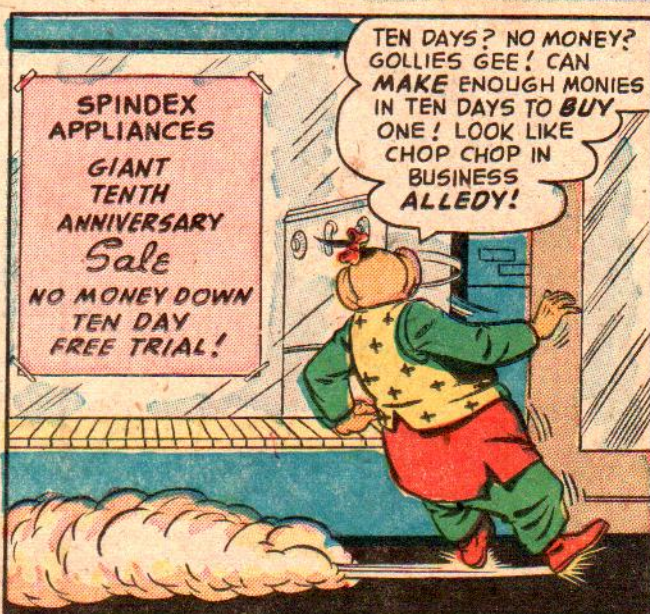
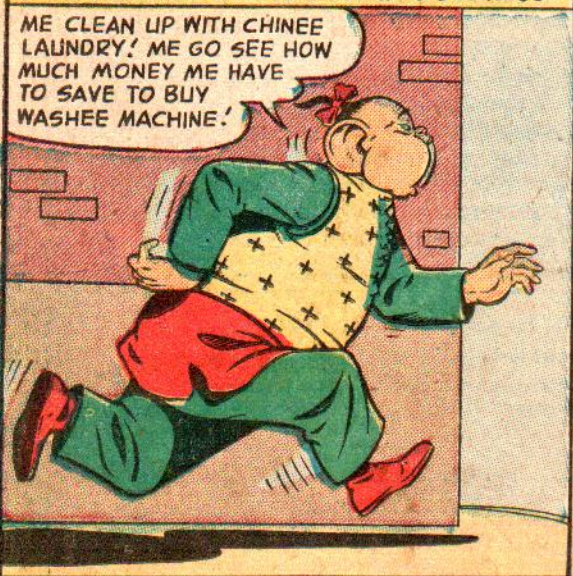
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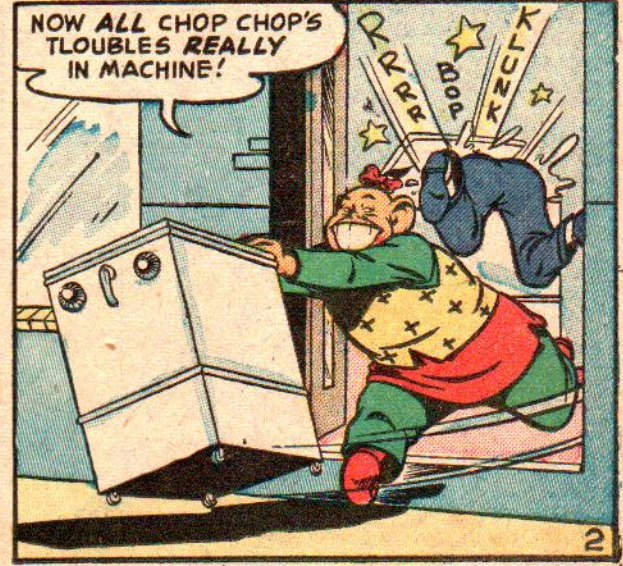
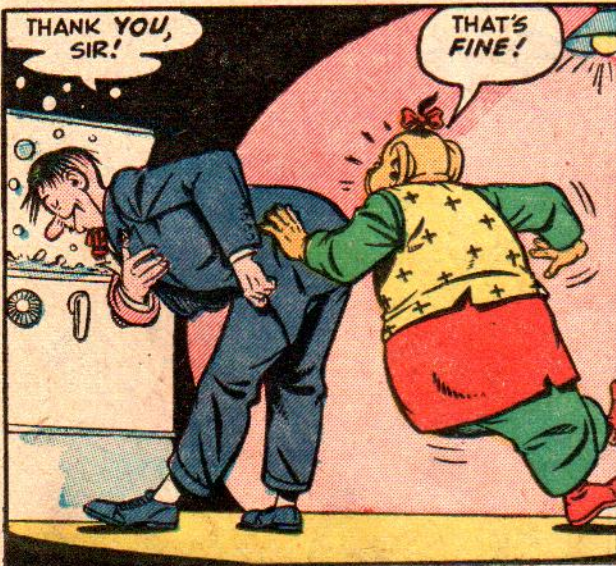
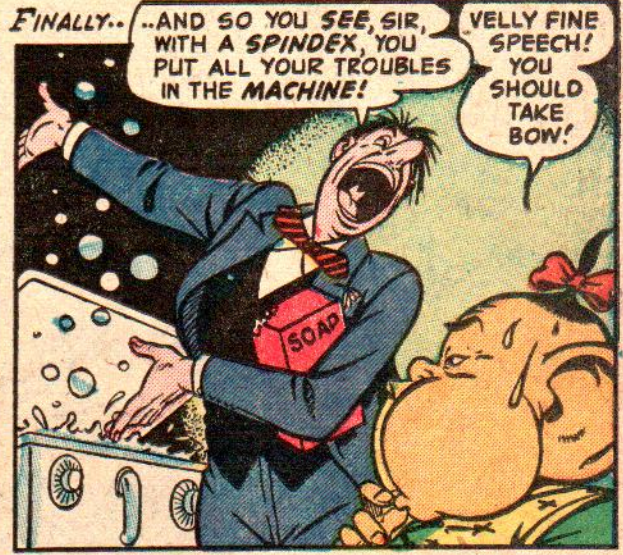
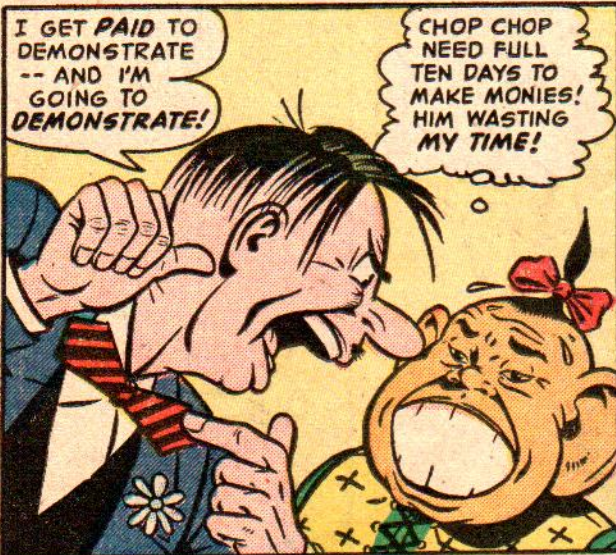
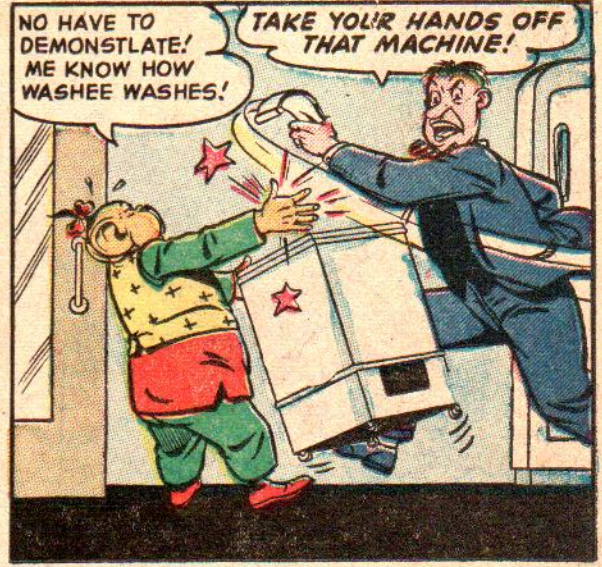
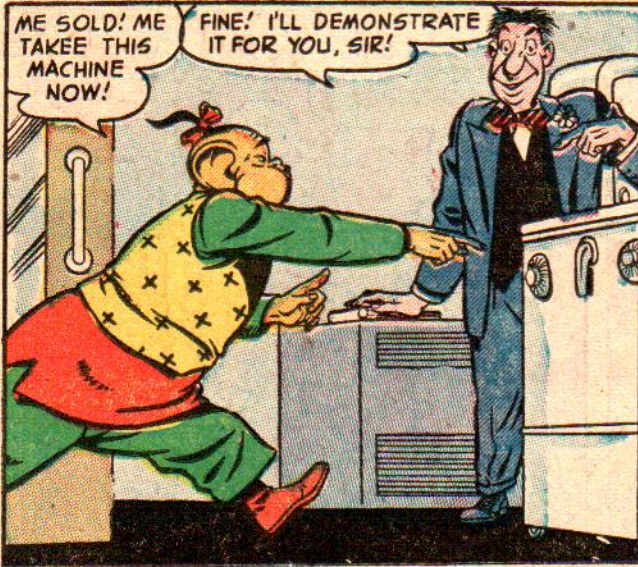
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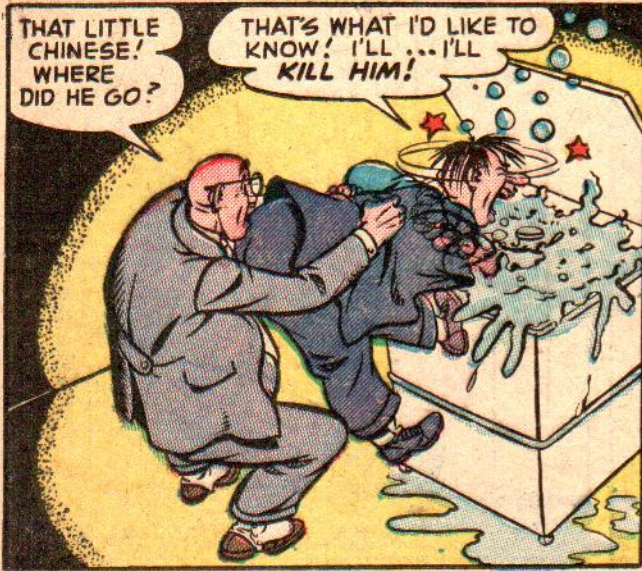
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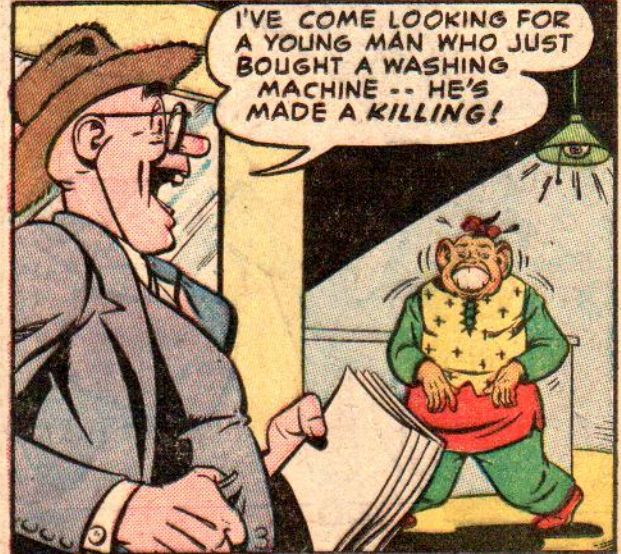
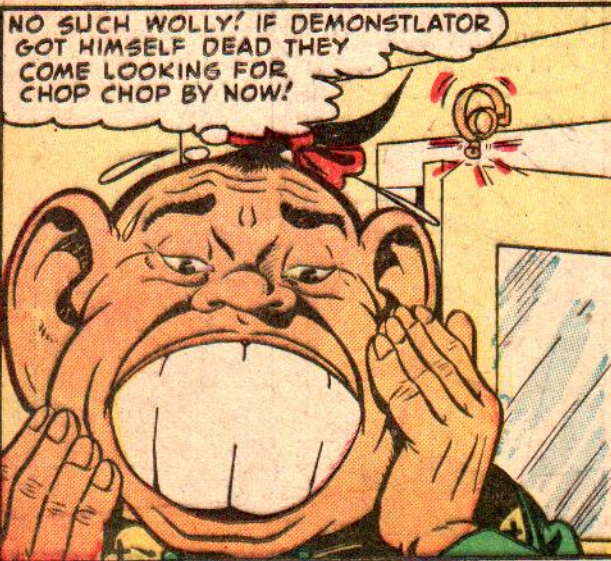
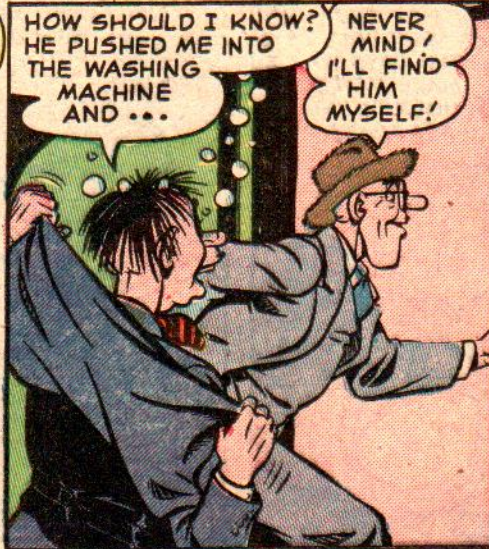
CHOP CHOP HAS DECIDED TO GO INTO BUSINESS--

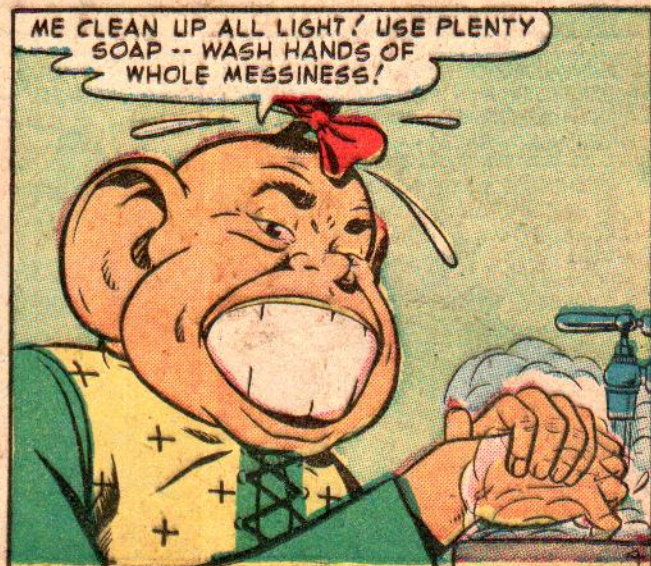
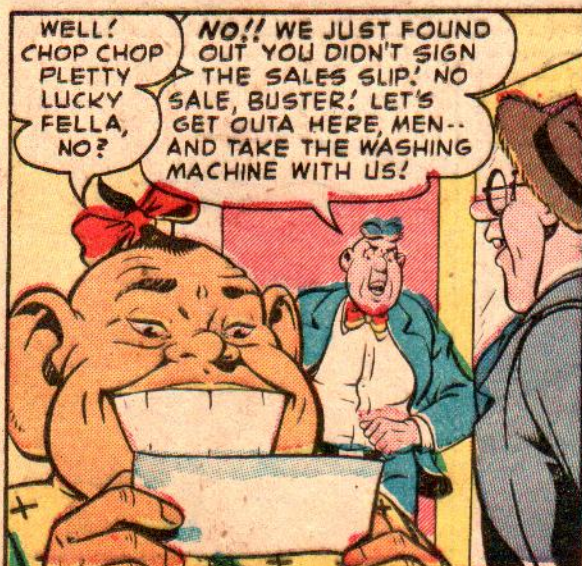
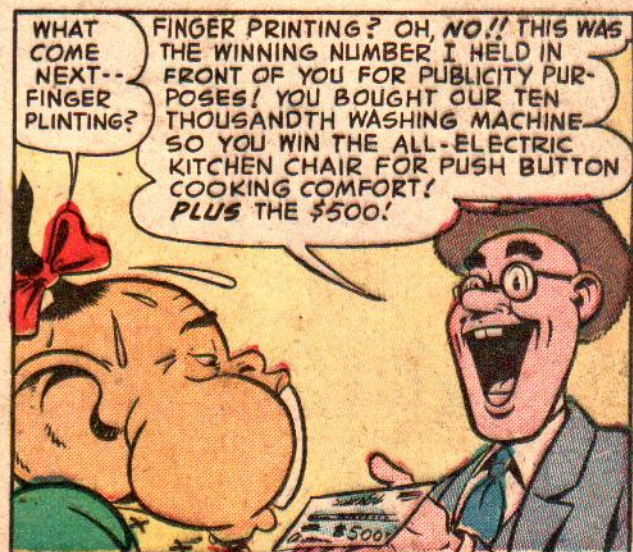
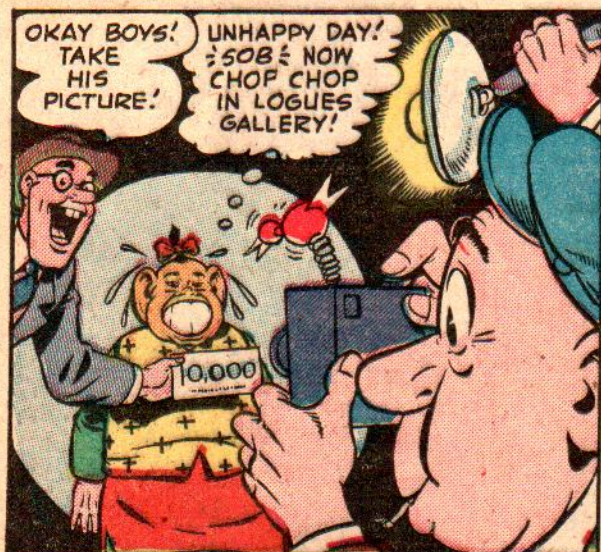
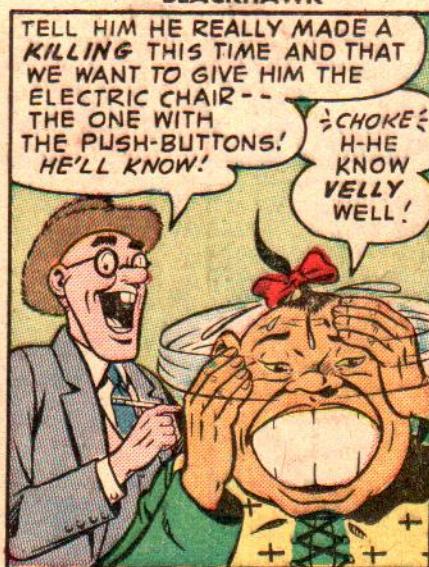






EXACTLY! HE BOUGHT OUR TEN THOUSANDTH WASHING MACHINE SO HE WINS THE KITCHEN MAGIC PUSH BUTTON EASY CHAIR! PLUS THE \$500 BONUS PRIZE! WHERE IS HE?



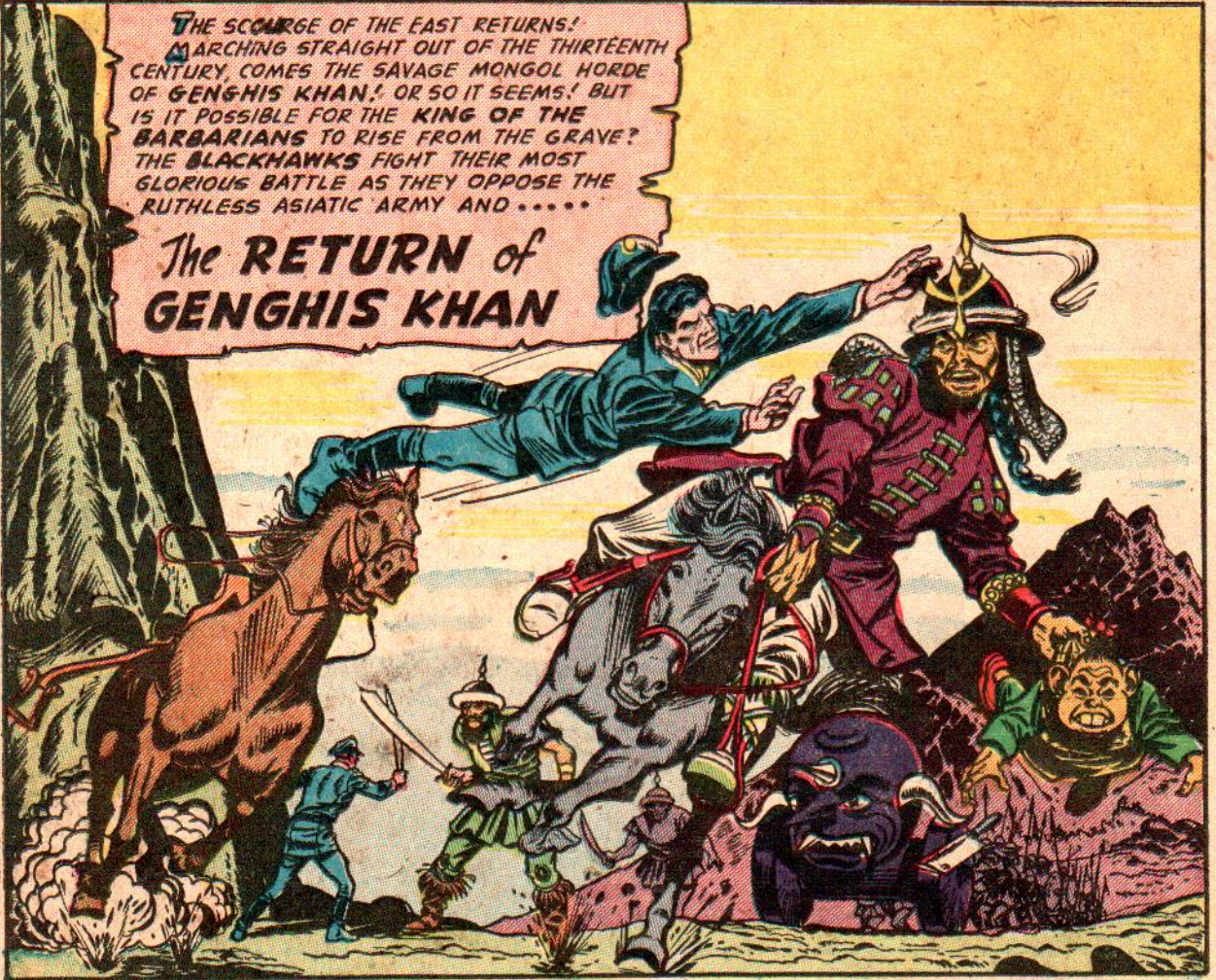


BLACKHAWK

Blackhawk

THE SCOURGE OF THE EAST RETURNS! MARCHING STRAIGHT OUT OF THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY, COMES THE SAVAGE MONGOL HORDE OF GENGHIS KHAN! OR SO IT SEEMS! BUT IS IT POSSIBLE FOR THE KING OF THE BARBARIANS TO RISE FROM THE GRAVE? THE BLACKHAWKS FIGHT THEIR MOST GLORIOUS BATTLE AS THEY OPPOSE THE RUTHLESS ASIATIC ARMY AND

The RETURN of GENGHIS KHAN



SOMEWHERE OVER TIBET'S TOWERING MOUNTAINS, THE SWIFT BLACKHAWK JETS ARE HOMEWARD BOUND, WHEN SUDDENLY

SOMETHING'S WRONG! WE WILL LAND WITH MY MOTOR! WITH YOU BLACKHAWK! I'LL HAVE TO MAKE AN EMERGENCY LANDING!



I MUST TELL THE MASTER!

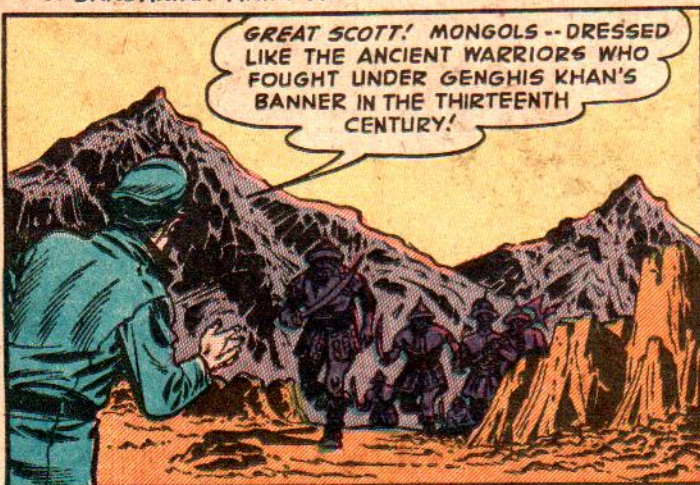


HERE'S WHAT'S WRONG! THE FEED LINE'S LOOSE!



BLACKHAWK

SUDDENLY, AS IF HURLING FROM THE PAGES OF HISTORY, A BARBARIAN ARMY ATTACKS!



GREAT SCOTT! MONGOLS -- DRESSED LIKE THE ANCIENT WARRIORS WHO FOUGHT UNDER GENGHIS KHAN'S BANNER IN THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY!

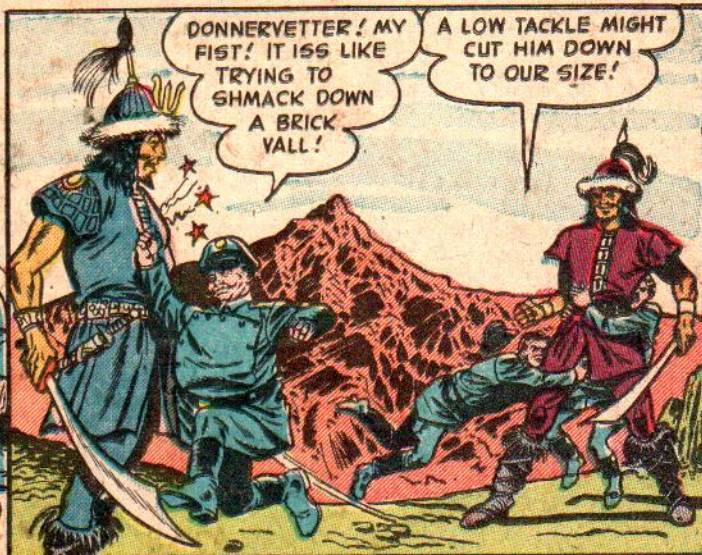


MON DIEU! ZEY ARE GIANTS!

THOSE BABIES MUST BE AT LEAST NINE FEET TALL!

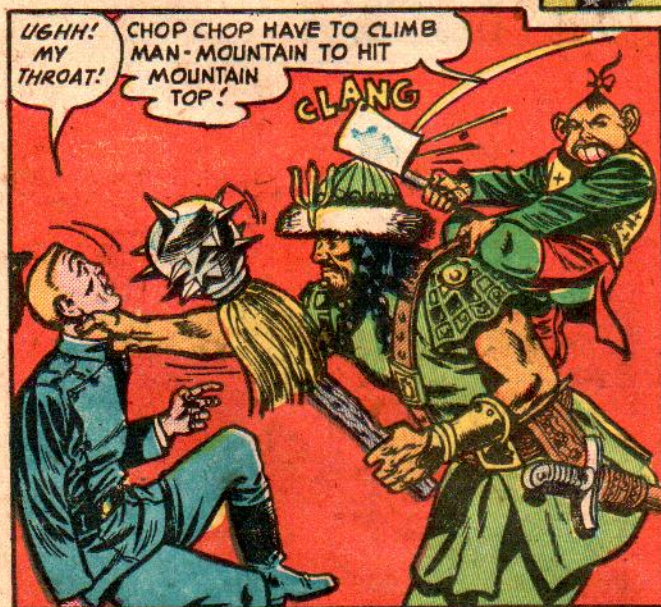


YOW! C'MON, MEN--WE JUST CAN'T STAND AROUND! LET'S PUT UP SOME KIND OF A FIGHT!



DONNERVETTER! MY FIST! IT IS LIKE TRYING TO SHMACK DOWN A BRICK WALL!

A LOW TACKLE MIGHT CUT HIM DOWN TO OUR SIZE!



UGH! MY THROAT! CHOP CHOP HAVE TO CLIMB MAN-MOUNTAIN TO HIT MOUNTAIN TOP!

CLANG



COMPLETELY OVERPOWERED BY THE GIANT MONGOLS, THE BLACKHAWKS ARE CAPTURED AFTER A VALIANT FIGHT--

INSECTS! TAKE THEM TO THE EMPEROR OF ALL MEN!

BLACKHAWK



DOGS, BOW IN THE PRESENCE OF THE MIGHTY GENGHIS KHAN!



GENGHIS KHAN?

IT ISN'T POSSIBLE! GENGHIS KHAN DIED IN THE YEAR 1227!



NO! I WAS TIRED, I WISHED TO REST, SO MY ALCHEMISTS MADE A POTION FOR ME AND MY PERSONAL WARRIORS THAT PUT US TO SLEEP FOR CENTURIES! AND STRANGE TO TELL, AS WE SLEPT THE POTION MADE US GROW UNTIL WE AWAKENED A FEW DAYS AGO!



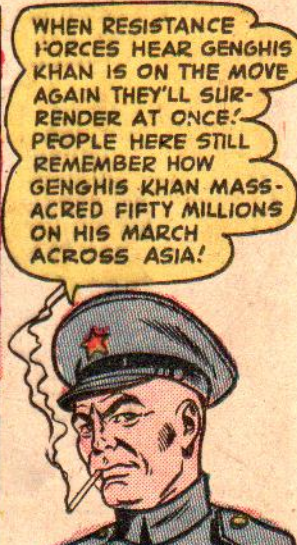
NOW, ONCE AGAIN GENGHIS KHAN SHALL CONQUER NATIONS!

ONCE YOU CONQUERED ALL ASIA, POLAND HUNGARY, BUT THIS TIME YOU'RE TOO LATE! THE REDS BEAT YOU TO IT!

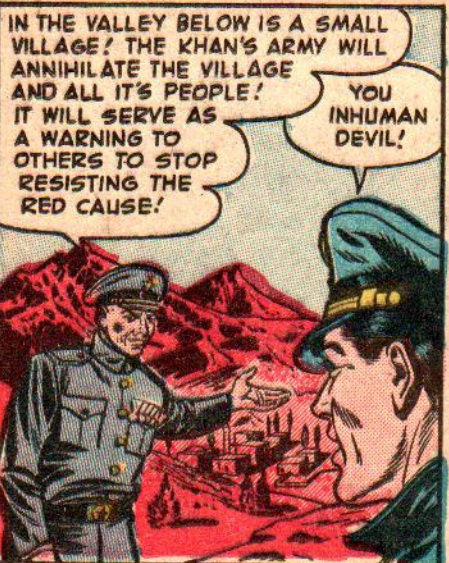


SURPRISE, BLACKHAWK! GENGHIS KHAN IS NOW WORKING FOR THE COMMUNIST CAUSE! HE INTENDED TO CONQUER THE WORLD, AND SO DID WE, SO WE HAVE DECIDED TO COMBINE FORCES!

A RED! I SHOULD HAVE KNOWN YOU WORK FAST!

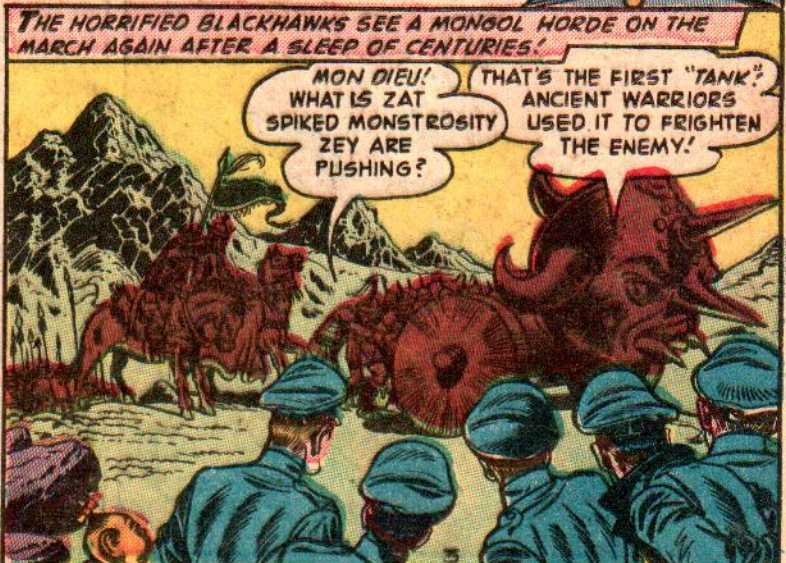


WHEN RESISTANCE FORCES HEAR GENGHIS KHAN IS ON THE MOVE AGAIN THEY'LL SURRENDER AT ONCE! PEOPLE HERE STILL REMEMBER HOW GENGHIS KHAN MASSACRED FIFTY MILLIONS ON HIS MARCH ACROSS ASIA!



IN THE VALLEY BELOW IS A SMALL VILLAGE! THE KHAN'S ARMY WILL ANNIHILATE THE VILLAGE AND ALL ITS PEOPLE! IT WILL SERVE AS A WARNING TO OTHERS TO STOP RESISTING THE RED CAUSE!

YOU INHUMAN DEVIL!



THE HORRIFIED BLACKHAWKS SEE A MONGOL HORDE ON THE MARCH AGAIN AFTER A SLEEP OF CENTURIES!

MON DIEU! WHAT IS THAT SPIKED MONSTROSITY ZEY ARE PUSHING?

THAT'S THE FIRST "TANK" ANCIENT WARRIORS USED IT TO FRIGHTEN THE ENEMY!

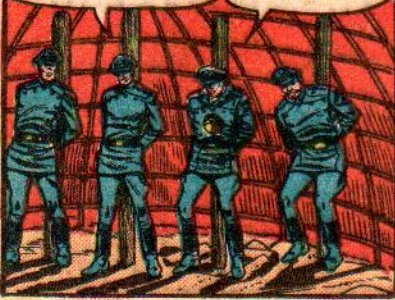
BLACKHAWK

WITH THREE MONGOLS LEFT OUTSIDE TO GUARD THEM, THE BLACK-HAWKS ARE CONFINED WITHIN A TENT!

THOSE POOR VALLEY PEOPLE! THEY'LL BE SLAUGHTERED LIKE SHEEP! IF WE COULD ONLY GET FREE AND WARN THEM!

HMM! RAIN WATER CAUGHT IN A POCKET OF ROCK! IT MAY DO THE TRICK!

TWISTING AND STRAINING HARD, BLACKHAWK MANAGES TO SLIDE HIS BONDS DOWN THE STAKE POLE AND..



THEY TIED US WITH LEATHER THONGS! WHEN LEATHER IS WET, IT STRETCHES!

YAH! DOT'S SO! UND YOU VILL SOAK YOUR BONDS UNTIL YOU CAN VORK YOUR HANDS FREE!



SOON AFTER!

WHAT NOW? EVEN IF WE MANAGE TO KNOCK OUT ONE OF THOSE GIANTS WE STILL GOT THE OTHERS TO WORRY ABOUT!

I'VE GOT A PLAN THAT MAY CATCH THEM NAPPING!



HO! OUR COMRADE GROWS SOFT AS A WOMAN! HE WEARS A HEAVY CLOAK AND IT IS NOT COLD YET!



BEND LOWER! LOOK CLOSELY!

AI-I-EE! SORCERY! HE HAS FOUR HANDS!

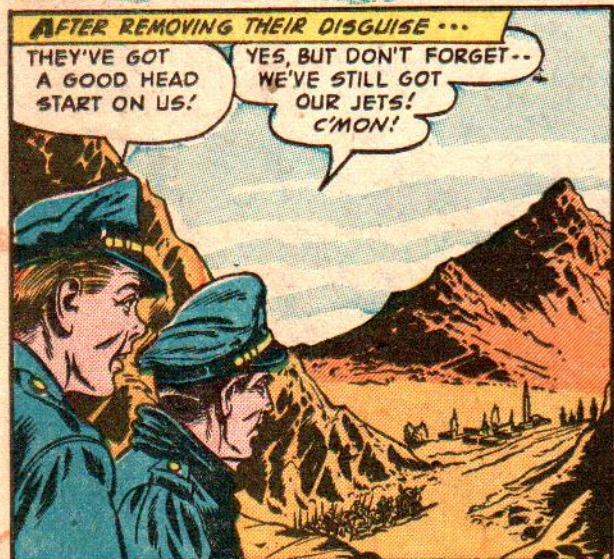
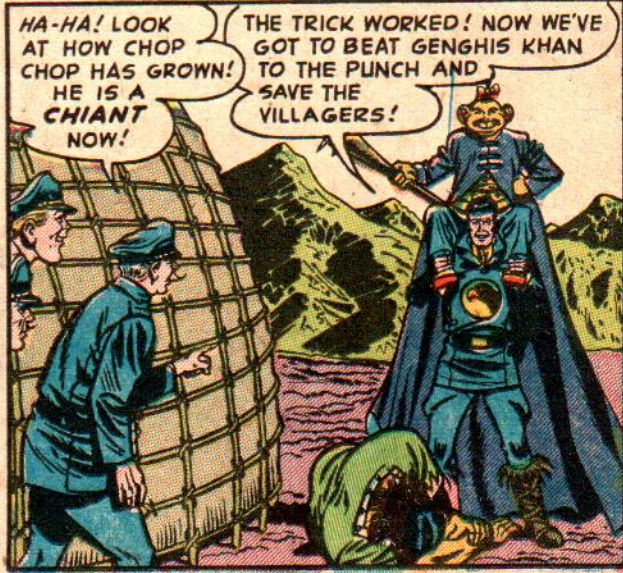


CLUNK

SUPLISE!



BLACKHAWK

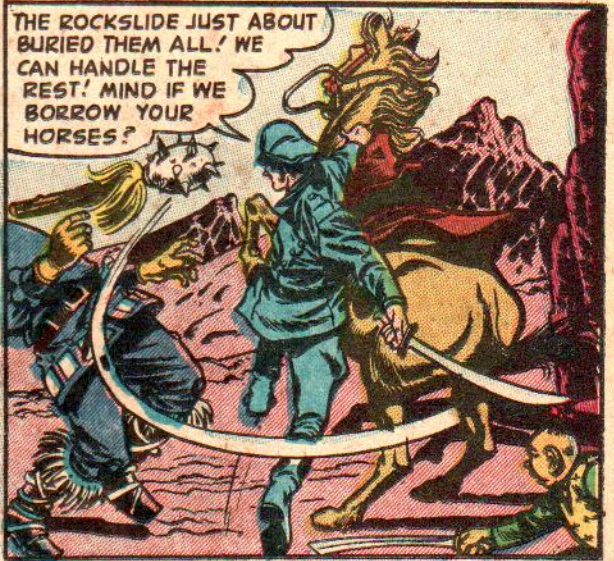


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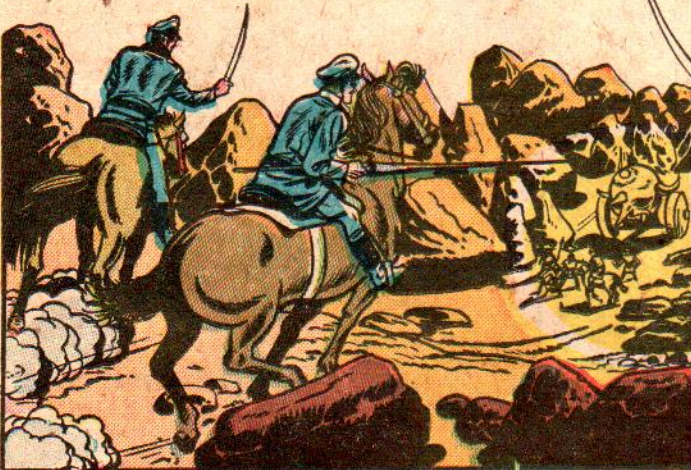
BUT THE EXPLOSION PROVES EVEN MORE DEVASTATING THAN BLACKHAWK COUNTED ON -- FOR IT CAUSES A GREAT, EARTH-SHAKING MOUNTAIN-SLIDE!



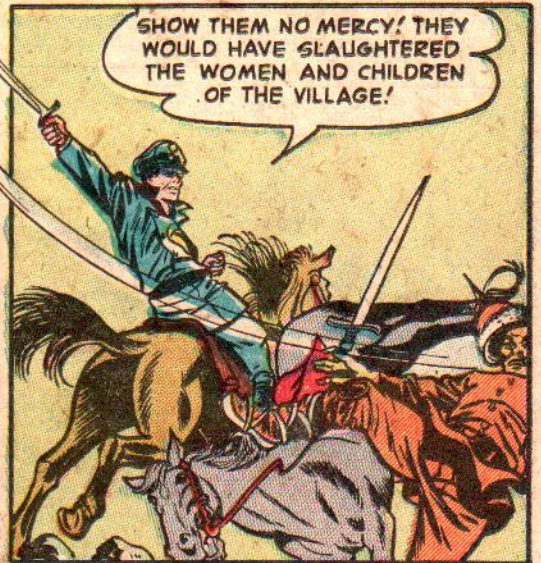
THE ROCKSLIDE JUST ABOUT BURIED THEM ALL! WE CAN HANDLE THE REST! MIND IF WE BORROW YOUR HORSES?



LIKE AVENGING KNIGHTS, THE BLACKHAWKS RIDE FULL TILT AT THE REMAINING BARBARIC GIANTS!



SHOW THEM NO MERCY! THEY WOULD HAVE SLAUGHTERED THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF THE VILLAGE!

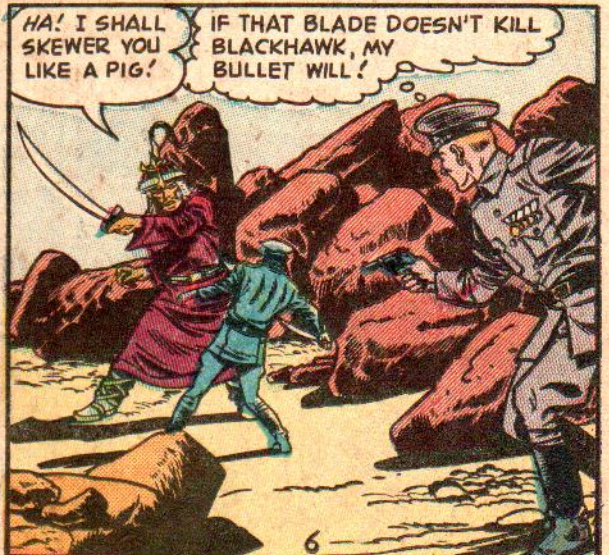


THE GREAT KHAN HIMSELF! FOOL! I AM THE GREATEST SWORDSMAN IN ALL ASIA!

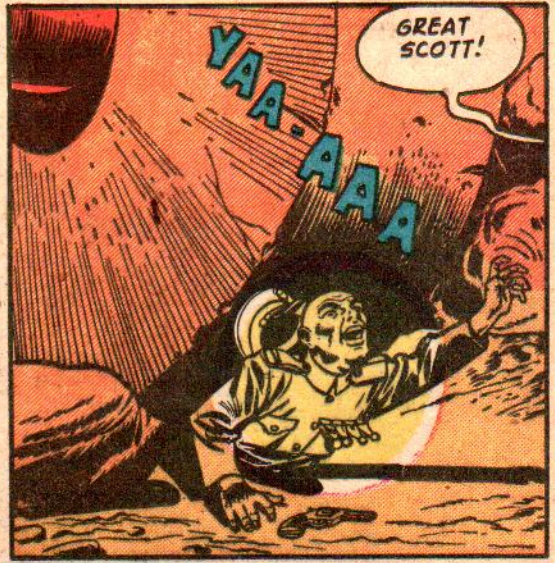
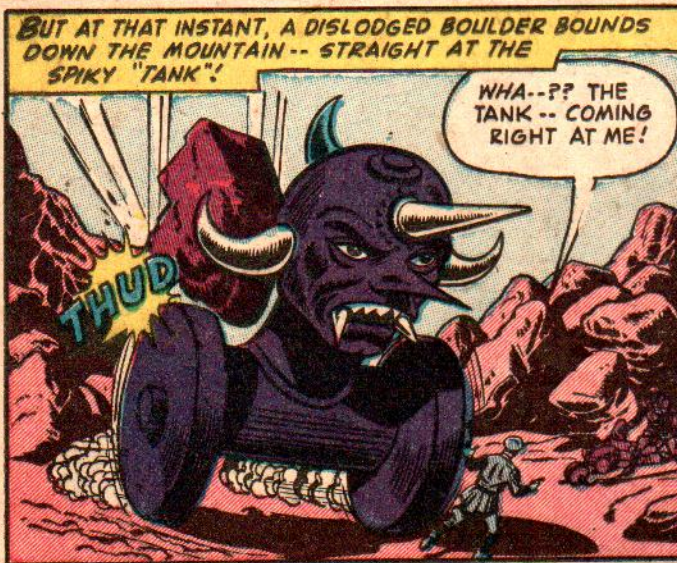
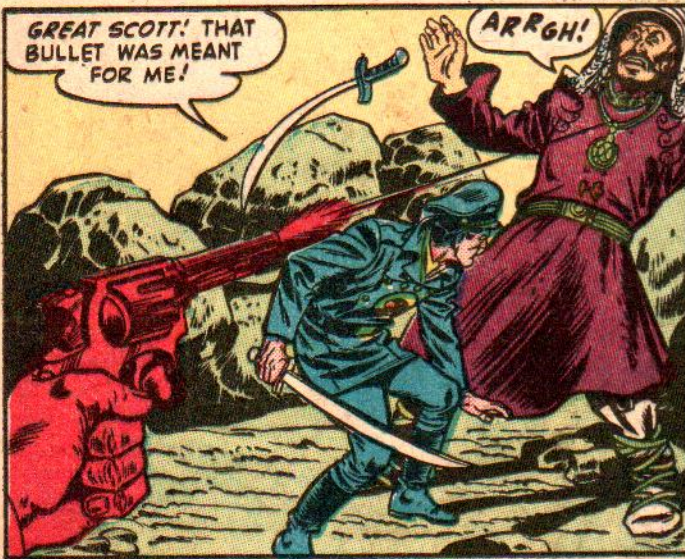


HA! I SHALL SKEWER YOU LIKE A PIG!

IF THAT BLADE DOESN'T KILL BLACKHAWK, MY BULLET WILL!



BLACKHAWK



Blackhawk's Luck

IT looked like curtains—the final curtains—for the Blackhawks.

As they had winged over the trackless Baroinai Desert, a distress signal from ruins at an oasis had caused them to drop down and investigate. But, once out of their planes and away toward the oasis, the signals proved to be a trap. From hiding holes under all the dunes to the horizon, rushed grim, bearded men in turbans and cloaks, the outlaw army of Sidi Savarr. Sidi Savarr had ever hated the Blackhawks, and intended to destroy them completely.

Had not the nearest contingent been so eager, it might have succeeded. That nearest contingent charged in to close quarters without waiting for reinforcements. Moments later the Blackhawks had overpowered this first rush of enemy, secured guns and ammunition, and had retreated toward the oasis. There, amid the tumbledown walls of an ancient, deserted village, they fought back wave after wave of attackers.

But it was nearly sunset. The hosts of Sidi Savarr were still ringed around them. And the Blackhawks had but a few cartridges left. Another charge from all sides, under cover of the thickening gloom, and it would be all over.

"Zey have us cut off from our planes, ze dogs!" growled Andre. "If we could but reach ze place where ze planes are—"

"Jawohl," agreed Hendrickson. "Ve could fight dem back mit our machine guns und take to der air. But dey are thick between us und der planes."

"Why you ban vaste das breath?" demanded big Olaf. "All ay ban want is for dem to come. Ay die fighting, ay bet you."

"What about it, Blackhawk?" Stanislaus asked the leader.

But Blackhawk was looking at the battered inscription on the wall behind which they were kneeling. "Look," he said, pointing. "What does it say?"

Chuck, who understood desert writing, scowled over the half-blotted words. "As far as I can make out," he said, "it's information about how the people of this village left, long ago. Desert raiders kept attacking them to get this oasis and the fountain of water. So they left, and first blocked up the fountain, right at this point."

"Interesting," said Blackhawk. With a spear taken from one of Sidi Savarr's men he prodded the sand, here, then beyond. He exclaimed in satisfaction.

"Are you looking for the old fountain?" demanded Stanislaus.

"I am, and here it is, just below us." Blackhawk scooped away sand. "See these rocks, plastered together to hold it down?"

"But while you look, ze raiders form for ze final charge!" cried Andre. "Enfin, mes amis, prepare to die fighting!"

"No!" called Blackhawk. "Bring those rifles here. Thrust them into the chinks between these plastered rocks. Stand to right and left, and wait until I give the order!"

Only the discipline learned in a hundred fights all over the world made his followers obey without question.

Sidi Savarr's band rushed from the direction of the parked planes. War cries and whoops of triumph rent the evening air. The charge struck home almost to the wall behind which the Blackhawks waited. Sidi Savarr, leading this charge in person, was ready to leap upon them. His black-bearded face was exultant, his scimitar raised on high.

"Now!" yelled Blackhawk. "Pry those rocks apart!"

The strong arms of the Blackhawks exerted themselves. The mortar fastenings gave and crumbled.

Immediately the long imprisoned fountain gushed forth. Pent up for years, its force was that of a flood torrent. The Blackhawks leaped away to either side, and gathered behind; but the waters, striking like a jet from an enormous firehose, drenched and overwhelmed the first wave of enemy. Sidi Savarr and his picked fighters were dashed back on those behind. The thirsty desert flowed with the water. Unused to such an experience, the superstitious raiders screamed with fear.

A moment later they were fleeing in all directions, as from black magic used against them.

Free to go, the Blackhawks returned to their planes.

"It was luck," said Blackhawk, "plain Blackhawk luck."

"No, no," chuckled Chop Chop. "This time was special Blackhawk luck."

BLACKHAWK



ON LONELY, STORM-LASHED PENG RUE ISLAND THE WORLD COURT HAD ESTABLISHED A PRISON FOR ITS SIX MOST SAVAGE CRIMINALS! HERE THEY WERE DOOMED TO LIVE OUT THEIR TWISTED LIVES, DREAMING ONLY OF AWFUL VENGEANCE AGAINST THEIR DESTROYERS... THE BLACKHAWKS! IS IT ANY WONDER, THEN, THAT STRONG MEN TURNED PALE WHEN THEY HEARD THAT BLACKHAWK AND TWO OF HIS COMPANIONS WERE PRISONERS OF THESE LIVING DEAD ON

The ISLE of the DAMNED!



THE DESTRUCTION OF RAFF LUSTIG'S BLOODY PILLAGERS IS A TASK THAT HAS DRIVEN THE BLACKHAWKS TO THEIR UTMOST EFFORTS! OPERATING FROM A BASE UNKNOWN TO THE REST OF THE WORLD, LUSTIG'S RAIDS HAVE BEEN DEVASTATING!

AGAIN AND AGAIN THE LUSTIG SUPERSONIC PLANES FLASH OUT OF THE SKY TO SMASH AND KILL AND DESTROY WITH COLD PURPOSE!

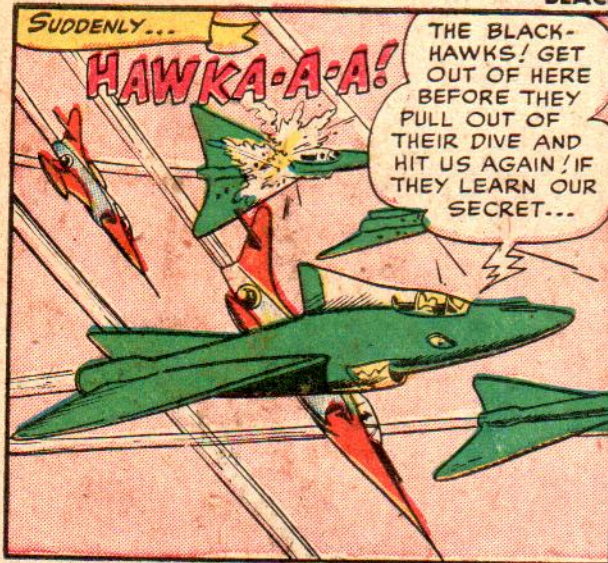
BREAK OFF AND RETURN TO PENG RUE ISLAND! THERE ISN'T ENOUGH OF SERTA LEFT STANDING TO BE WORTH WASTING ROCKETS ON!



WE'LL DESTROY TWO MORE CITIES, REJOIN OUR ALLIES IMPRISONED ON PENG RUE ISLAND AND WAIT FOR THE GOVERNMENT TO SURRENDER! WITH THE BLACKHAWK PLANES UNABLE TO KEEP UP WITH US, IT WON'T TAKE LONG!



BLACKHAWK



THE BLACK-HAWKS! GET OUT OF HERE BEFORE THEY PULL OUT OF THEIR DIVE AND HIT US AGAIN! IF THEY LEARN OUR SECRET...



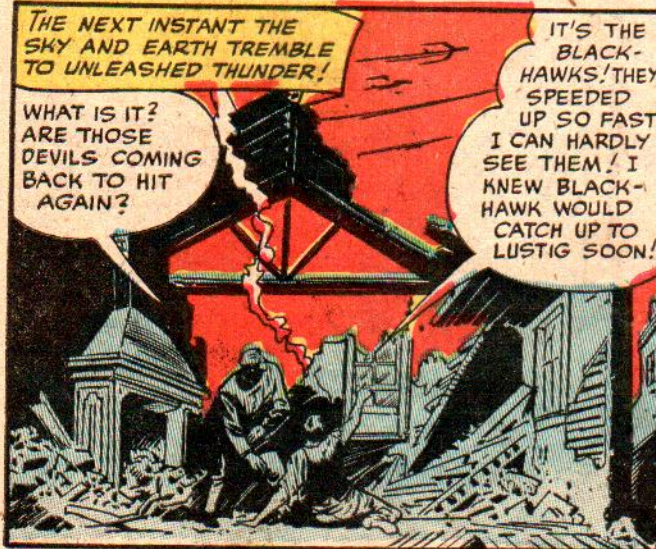
COCHON! PIGS! COME BACK AND FIGHT!

YOU'RE WASTING BREATH, ANDRE! LUSTIG'S COWARDS WON'T FIGHT WHEN THEY'VE ALWAYS BEEN ABLE TO OUT-RUN US AND ESCAPE!



IT'S TIME FOR THAT SURPRISE WE'VE WORKED ON ALL WEEK, GANG! CUT IN THE NEW AFTER-BURNERS!

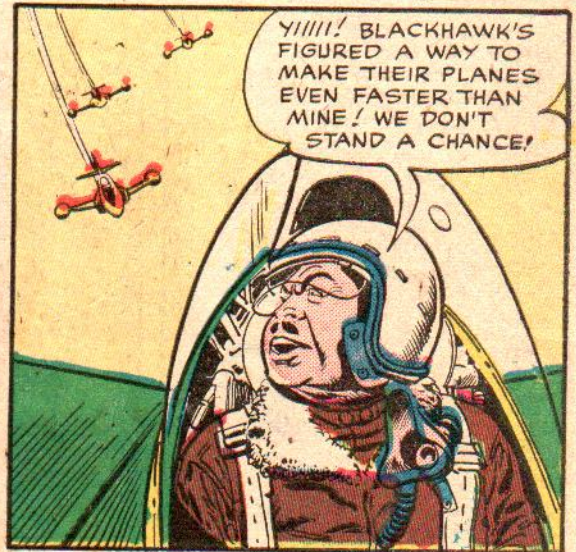
YIPSY-DOODLES! NOW WATCHEE LUSTIG GET BAD SHOCK!



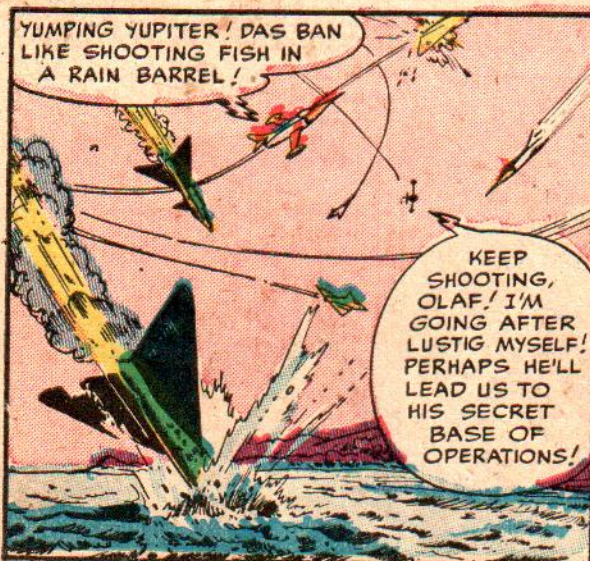
THE NEXT INSTANT THE SKY AND EARTH TREMBLE TO UNLEASHED THUNDER!

WHAT IS IT? ARE THOSE DEVILS COMING BACK TO HIT AGAIN?

IT'S THE BLACK-HAWKS! THEY SPEEDED UP SO FAST I CAN HARDLY SEE THEM! I KNEW BLACK-HAWK WOULD CATCH UP TO LUSTIG SOON!

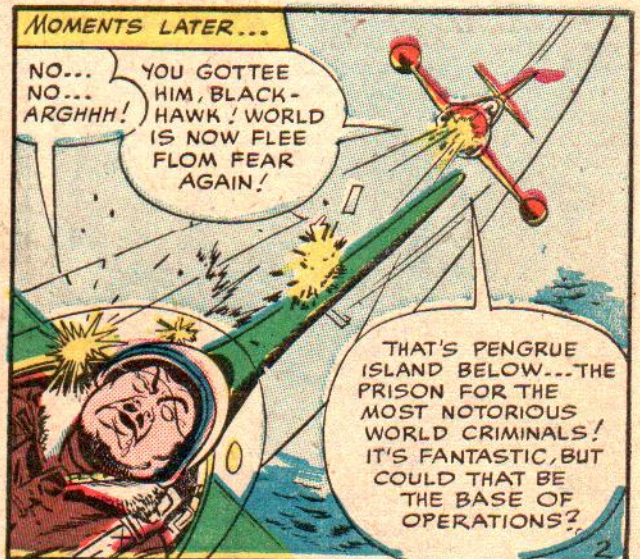


YIIII! BLACKHAWK'S FIGURED A WAY TO MAKE THEIR PLANES EVEN FASTER THAN MINE! WE DON'T STAND A CHANCE!



YUMPING YUPITER! DAS BAN LIKE SHOOTING FISH IN A RAIN BARREL!

KEEP SHOOTING, OLAF! I'M GOING AFTER LUSTIG MYSELF! PERHAPS HE'LL LEAD US TO HIS SECRET BASE OF OPERATIONS!



MOMENTS LATER...

NO... NO... ARGHHH!

YOU GOTTEE HIM, BLACK-HAWK! WORLD IS NOW FLEE FLOM FEAR AGAIN!

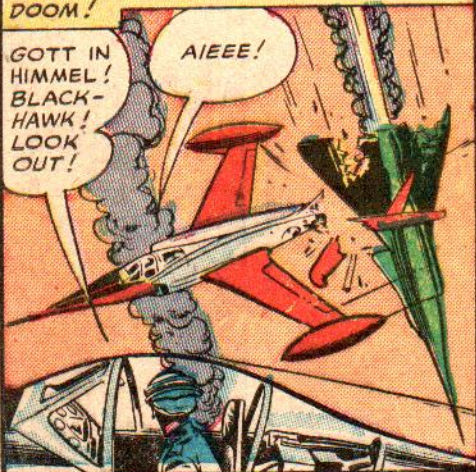
THAT'S PENG RUE ISLAND BELOW...THE PRISON FOR THE MOST NOTORIOUS WORLD CRIMINALS! IT'S FANTASTIC, BUT COULD THAT BE THE BASE OF OPERATIONS?

BLACKHAWK

WITHOUT WARNING THE WRECKAGE OF THE LAST ENEMY SWIRLS DOWN, TWISTING UNPREDICTABLY IN ITS FLIGHT TO DOOM!

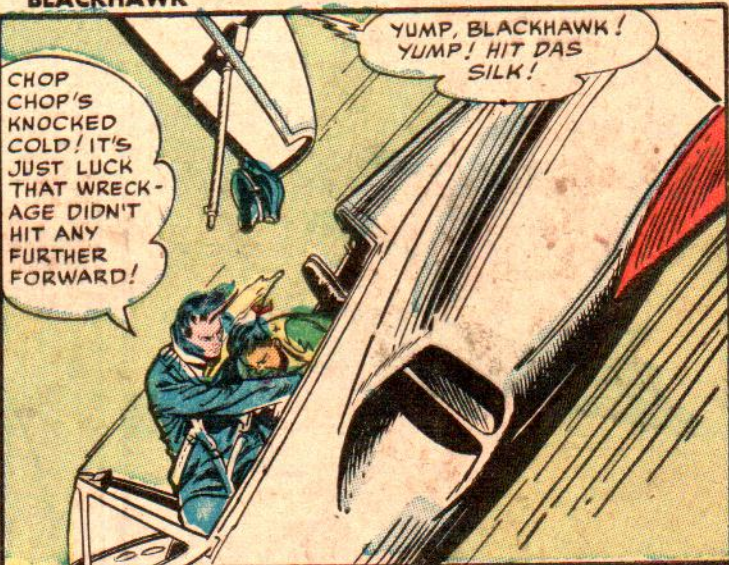
GOTT IN HIMMEL! BLACK-HAWK! LOOK OUT!

AIEEE!



CHOP CHOP'S KNOCKED COLD! IT'S JUST LUCK THAT WRECKAGE DIDN'T HIT ANY FURTHER FORWARD!

YUMP, BLACKHAWK! YUMP! HIT DAS SILK!



A MOMENT LATER THE MOST GLORIOUS OF ALL SIGHTS GREETES THE SHOCKED SQUADRON!

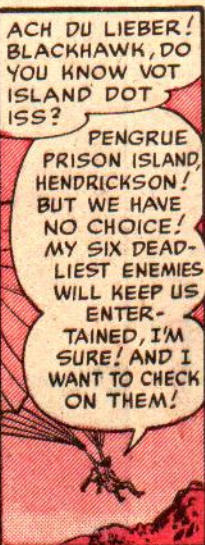
PARBLEU! HE MADE IT, MES AMIS!

WE'RE OKAY, GANG! I'LL KEEP IN TOUCH BY BELT RADIO UNTIL YOU CAN FIGURE A WAY TO GET US OFF THE ISLAND AGAIN! THERE'S NO PLACE TO LAND ON IT!

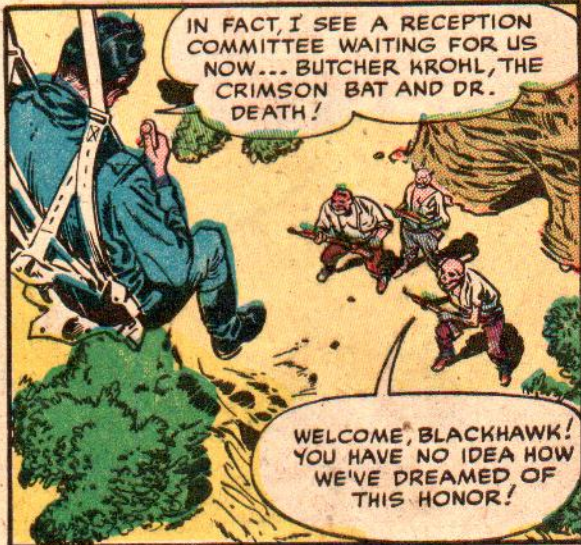


ACH DU LIEBER! BLACKHAWK, DO YOU KNOW VOT ISLAND DOT ISS?

PENG RUE PRISON ISLAND, HENDRICKSON! BUT WE HAVE NO CHOICE! MY SIX DEADLIEST ENEMIES WILL KEEP US ENTER-TAINED, I'M SURE! AND I WANT TO CHECK ON THEM!



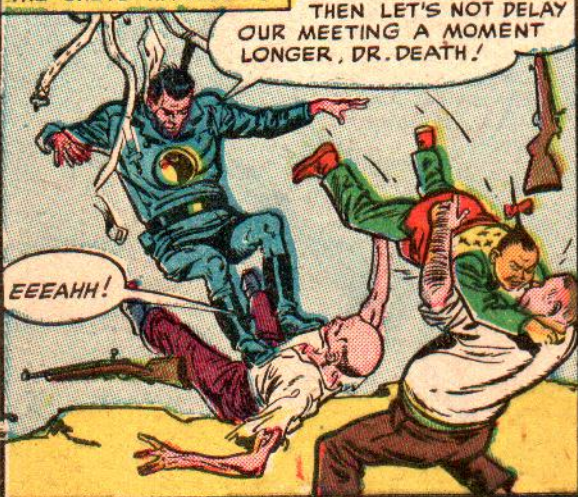
IN FACT, I SEE A RECEPTION COMMITTEE WAITING FOR US NOW... BUTCHER KROHL, THE CRIMSON BAT AND DR. DEATH!



WELCOME, BLACKHAWK! YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW WE'VE DREAMED OF THIS HONOR!

A FLIP ON THE CATCH FREES BLACKHAWK FROM THE CHUTE HARNESS!

THEN LET'S NOT DELAY OUR MEETING A MOMENT LONGER, DR. DEATH!



EEEEHH!

CHOP CHOP THINKEE BUTCHER KLOHL MAKE BETTER CHOPPING BLOCK!

HELP! BRING THE GAS GUNS! GET THIS LITTLE FIEND OFF MY BACK!



BLACKHAWK

THE CRY BRINGS THE OTHER THREE SAVAGE EXILES WITH CRUDE BUT EFFECTIVE WEAPONS!



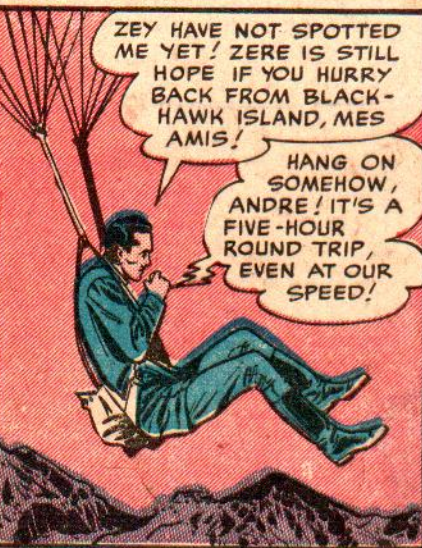
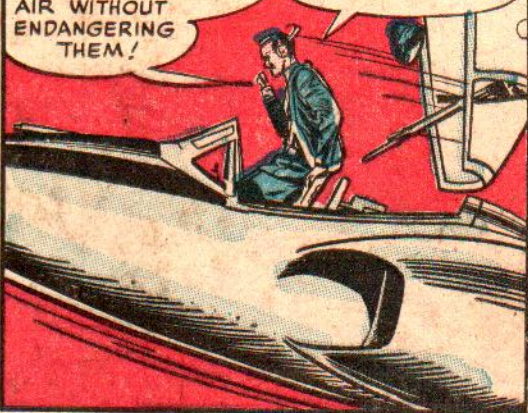
THAT GAS! I'M PARALYZED!

AGH-AGH! CHOKE!

IT'S TIME YOU SHOWED UP! BLACKHAWK'S FISTS GROW NO SOFTER WITH THE YEARS!

THEY'RE DRAGGING BLACKHAWK AND CHOP CHOP OUT OF SIGHT AND WE'RE HELPLESS! WE CAN'T ATTACK FROM THE AIR WITHOUT ENDANGERING THEM!

MA FOI! TAKE RADIO CONTROL OF MY SHIP, CHUCK! I GO DOWN TO FIGHT OR DIE WIZ BLACKHAWK! ALLONS!



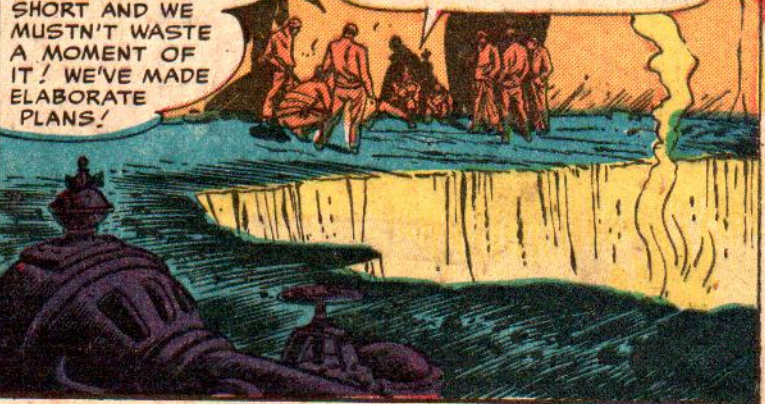
ZEY HAVE NOT SPOTTED ME YET! ZERE IS STILL HOPE IF YOU HURRY BACK FROM BLACKHAWK ISLAND, MES AMIS!

HANG ON SOMEHOW, ANDRE! IT'S A FIVE-HOUR ROUND TRIP, EVEN AT OUR SPEED!

AT THAT MOMENT, DEEP IN THE SMOULDERING HEART OF THE MOUNTAIN!

WAKE UP, BLACKHAWK! OUR TIME TO ENTERTAIN YOU IS SHORT AND WE MUSTN'T WASTE A MOMENT OF IT! WE'VE MADE ELABORATE PLANS!

YOU SIX ALL MADE ELABORATE PLANS TO RULE THE WORLD, TOO, BUT SOMETHING INTERFERED! NOW YOU HAVE CONTRIVED TO TRY AGAIN!



THE BLACKHAWKS INTERFERED, BUT THAT WON'T HAPPEN THIS TIME! WE ARE OLDER AND WISER! AND THE BLACKHAWKS WILL SOON BE DEAD! WE ALREADY BUILT LUSTIG'S FLEET AS A START!

WE KNOW YOUR FRIENDS WILL RETURN SOON TO RESCUE YOU! IN FACT, WE'D BE HORRIBLY DISAPPOINTED IF THEY DIDN'T!



THEY'VE GONE FOR PONTOONS, OF COURSE, SO THEY CAN LAND IN THE BAY! THERE IS NO OTHER POSSIBLE LANDING PLACE! THEY'LL FIND A WARM WELCOME ON THEIR RETURN!

HE'S RIGHT! THE GANG WILL WALK INTO A TRAP! THESE RATS HAVE USED VOLCANIC POWER TO FASHION CRUDE WEAPONS AND SET OFF A NEW WORLD MENACE!



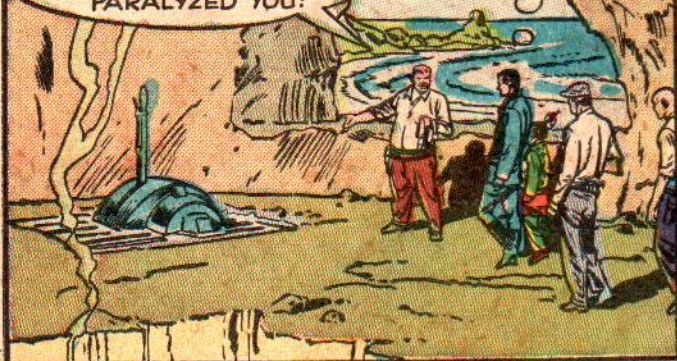
LUSTIG'S PLANES TOOK OFF AND LANDED FROM THIS SECRET TUNNEL! WE WILL SHOW YOUR MASTER PLAN TO DESTROY THE BLACKHAWKS!

NOT EVEN YOU CAN SAVE THEM, BLACKHAWK, SINCE WE REMOVED YOUR BELT RADIOS WHILE YOU WERE UNCONSCIOUS!



THIS LEVER LIFTS A GATE THAT LETS SEA WATER HIT THE VOLCANIC FIRES UNDER THE BAY! YOUR FRIENDS WILL BE SCALDED IN LIVE STEAM! WE KNOW ITS FORCE, BECAUSE WE USE IT TO MANUFACTURE THAT GAS THAT PARALYZED YOU!

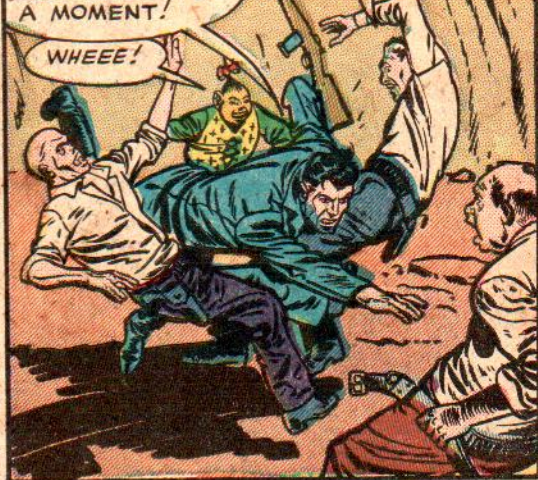
I'VE GOT TO WARN THE GANG, SOMEHOW, BUT I CAN'T SEE A WAY!



UNLESS I GET MY HANDS ON MY BELT RADIO FOR A MOMENT!

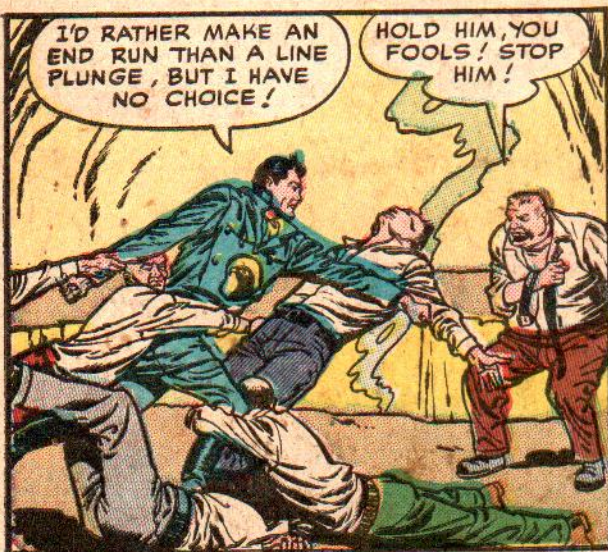
LOOK OUT... OOOFF!

WHEEE!



I'D RATHER MAKE AN END RUN THAN A LINE PLUNGE, BUT I HAVE NO CHOICE!

HOLD HIM, YOU FOOLS! STOP HIM!



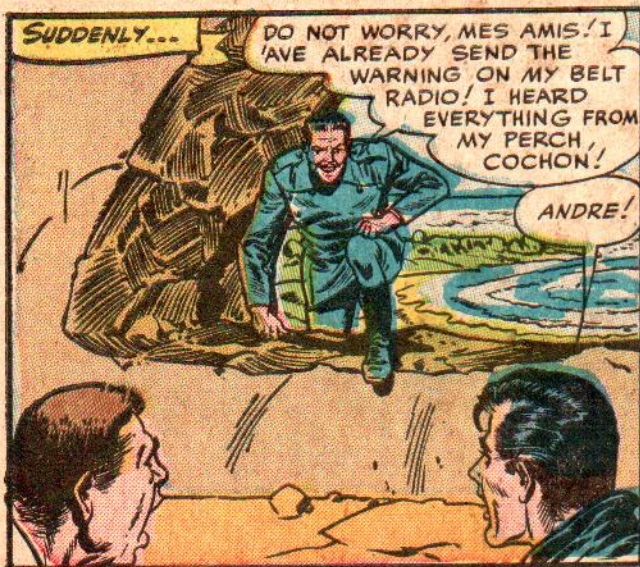
BUT IF YOU INSIST ON A BELT RADIO... GO AFTER IT, BLACKHAWK!



SUDDENLY...

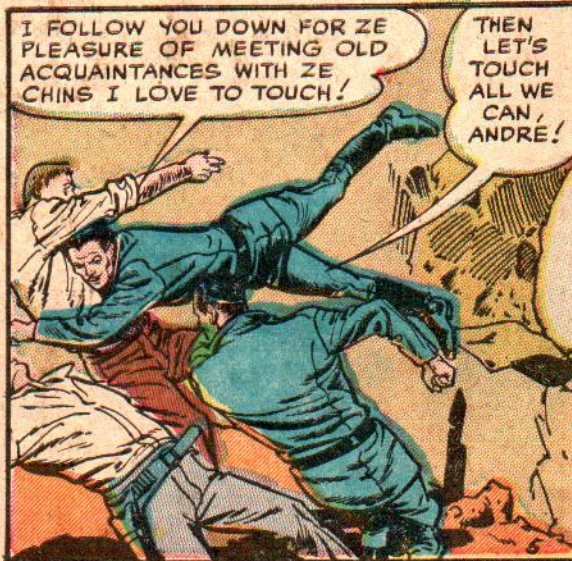
DO NOT WORRY, MES AMIS! I'VE ALREADY SEND THE WARNING ON MY BELT RADIO! I HEARD EVERYTHING FROM MY PERCH, COCHON!

ANDRE!

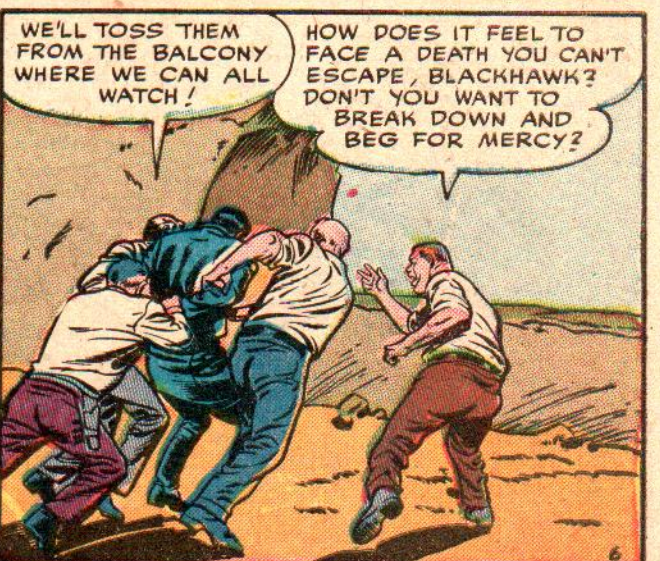
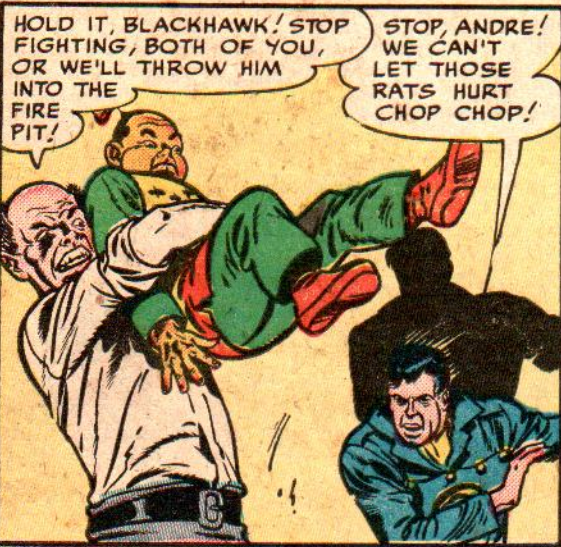
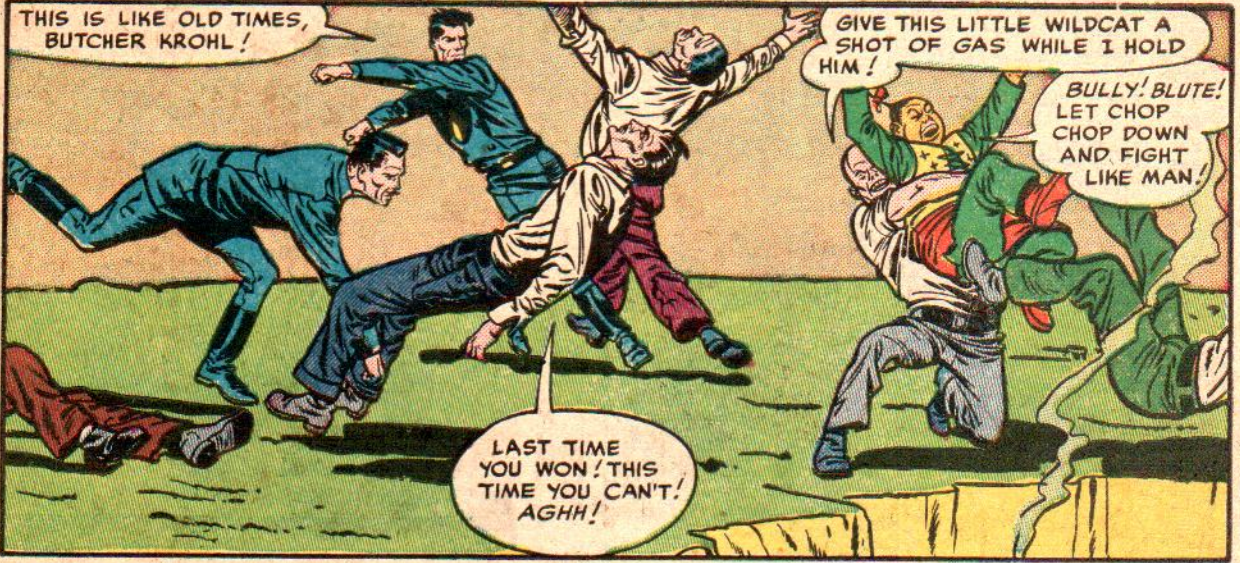


I FOLLOW YOU DOWN FOR ZE PLEASURE OF MEETING OLD ACQUAINTANCES WITH ZE CHINS I LOVE TO TOUCH!

THEN LET'S TOUCH ALL WE CAN, ANDRE!



BLACKHAWK

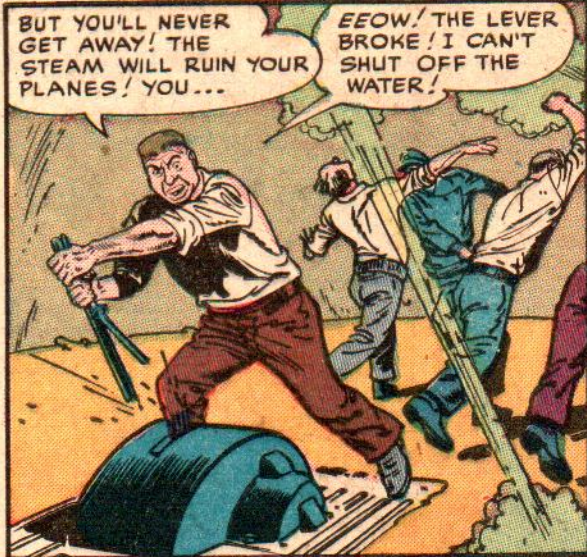


BLACKHAWK



NOW YUST WHY WOULD HE WANT TO BEG MERCY FROM YUGHEADS LIKE YOU?

YI!KE! THE BLACKHAWKS! THEY LANDED WHILE WE WERE BUSY FIGHTING!



BUT YOU'LL NEVER GET AWAY! THE STEAM WILL RUIN YOUR PLANES! YOU...

EEOW! THE LEVER BROKE! I CAN'T SHUT OFF THE WATER!



LET ME OUT OF HERE! THE WHOLE ISLAND WILL BLOW UP!

LET THEM GO, CHUCK! WE'VE GOT TO... CHOKE! COUGH!...GET OUT OF THIS STEAM BEFORE WE SMOTHER!



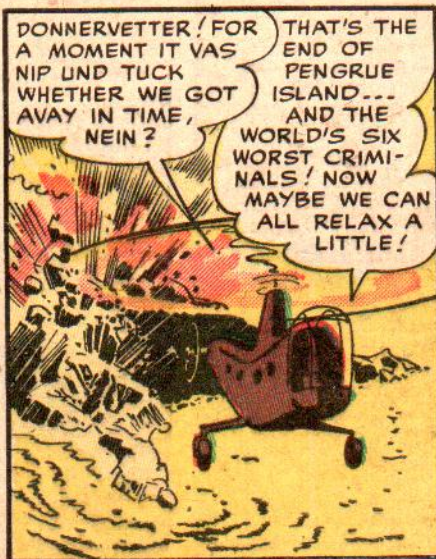
I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU GOT BACK IN TIME, GANG, BUT NOW I WISH YOU HADN'T! WITH THE PLANES BURNED, WE'RE TRAPPED HERE!

NO PLANES BURNED, BLACKHAWK! FOLLOW US, QUICKLY!



A JET HELICOPTER! BUT HOW COULD YOU GET IT HERE SO FAST?

EASY, BLACKHAWK! WE RADIOED UNITED WORLD HEADQUARTERS AND THEY FLEW IT OUT TO MEET US IN A JET BOMBER! COME ON!



DONNERVETTER! FOR A MOMENT IT WAS NIP UND TUCK WHETHER WE GOT AWAY IN TIME, NEIN?

THAT'S THE END OF PENG RUE ISLAND... AND THE WORLD'S SIX WORST CRIMINALS! NOW MAYBE WE CAN ALL RELAX A LITTLE!



SOMEHOW I'M GLAD THAT ISLAND'S GONE! THERE MUST BE A MORE CIVILIZED WAY TO ISOLATE AND PUNISH CRIMINALS!

JAH! EIN GOOD KNUCKLE MASSAGE IS MORE HUMANE...AND MORE FUN!

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69. Men's Ring—sparkling center stone. White gold color effect.



26. Men's Ring with large simulated Ruby, also in assorted colored stones. Yellow or white gold color effect.



75. Men's Ring—sparkling simulated diamond. White or yellow gold color effect (1 kt. size stone).



68. Men's Ring—flashing extra large simulated diamond. White or yellow gold color effect.



66. Men's Ring—flashing simulated diamond—smaller stones on each side. White or yellow gold color effect.



73. Ladies' Cameo Ring. Yellow gold color effect.



44. Men's Wedding Ring. Yellow or white gold color effect, or sterling silver.



39. Ladies' Solitaire Ring. 3 sparkling simulated diamonds. White gold color effect.



53. Egyptian Ring—unusual design. Very odd.



64. Men's simulated large square cut ruby, also assorted colored stones. Yellow gold color effect.



74. Men's Ring—brilliant simulated diamond. Yellow gold color effect. Gypsy setting.



38. Ladies' Solitaire Ring. Center stone is genuine diamond chip. Solid sterling silver mounting.



23. Ladies' Engagement Ring. Exceptionally brilliant simulated diamond. Tiffany Style setting. White or yellow gold color effect.



33. Large Ladies' Ring. Simulated diamond—2 smaller sized stones. Yellow or white gold color effect.



58. Indian Head Ring. Head is stamped in gold leaf.



20. Ladies' Engagement ring with 5 brilliant simulated diamonds. Yellow gold color effect.



57. Hand Carved Corozo Nut Ring—Indian Head.



70. Men's Ring—fine simulated diamond. Yellow gold color effect.



10. Child's Signet Ring. Yellow or white gold color effect or Sterling Silver.



7. Love & Friendship Ring. Solid sterling silver with 2 hearts linked. Forget-me-not design.



60. Ladies' Engagement Ring set with large center simulated diamond and small stones on sides. Yellow gold color effect.



18. Ladies' Birthstone Ring. White or yellow gold color effect or sterling silver. Give month of birth for proper stone color.



67. Men's Ring—large brilliant simulated diamond. White gold color effect.



12. Men's Ring with simulated diamond in square mounting. Yellow or white gold color effect.



35. Men's Signet Ring. White gold color effect or sterling silver.



43. Ladies' Wedding Band. 7 large brilliant simulated diamonds. White or yellow gold color effect or sterling silver.



4. Friendship Ring—solid sterling silver. Smart popular Sweetheart design.



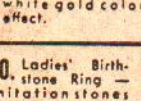
19. Ladies' Solitaire Engagement ring. Filigree mounting white gold color effect or sterling silver.



25. Ladies' Plain Wedding Band. Yellow or white gold color effect, or sterling silver.



30. Ladies' Birthstone Ring—imitation stones come in all colors. Sterling silver mounting (Stamped in Ring). State color or stone desired.



61. Ladies' Engagement Ring with 5 large brilliant simulated diamonds. Yellow gold color effect.



59. Wedding Ring—beautifully chased. Yellow or white gold color effect or solid sterling silver.



24. Love & Friendship Ring. Solid sterling silver. Beautifully engraved. Also used as Wedding ring.



37. Love & Friendship Ring. Chased design—also used as wedding ring. Yellow or white gold color effect, or sterling silver.



5. Men's Ring with single sparkling simulated diamond—yellow gold color effect.



11. Wedding Ring. Raised floral design. White or yellow gold color effect or sterling silver.



71. Ladies' Engagement ring. White gold color effect. Tiffany setting. Large single stone.



76. Ladies' Ring. Yellow gold color effect. (Fancy Design. Large single stone).



59. Wedding Ring—beautifully chased. Yellow or white gold color effect or solid sterling silver.



48. Wedding Band with sparkling simulated diamonds. White or yellow gold color effect or sterling silver.



41. Ladies' Solitaire Ring with large center simulated diamond and 6 smaller stones. Yellow or white gold color effect.



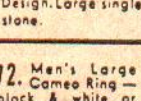
45. Corozo Nut Ring. Hand Carved. Set with simulated pearl. (Comes in various designs.)



77. Ladies' Engagement Ring. Simulated diamond with smaller stones on each side. White gold color effect.



72. Men's Large Cameo Ring—black & white or brown & white stone. White gold color effect, or sterling silver.



22. Ladies' Solitaire engagement ring. Extra large, brilliant simulated diamond. Yellow or white gold color effect.



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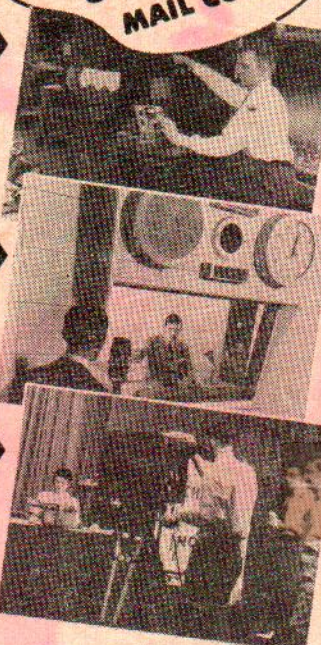
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